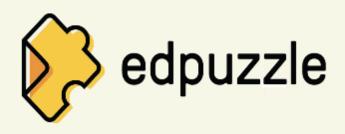
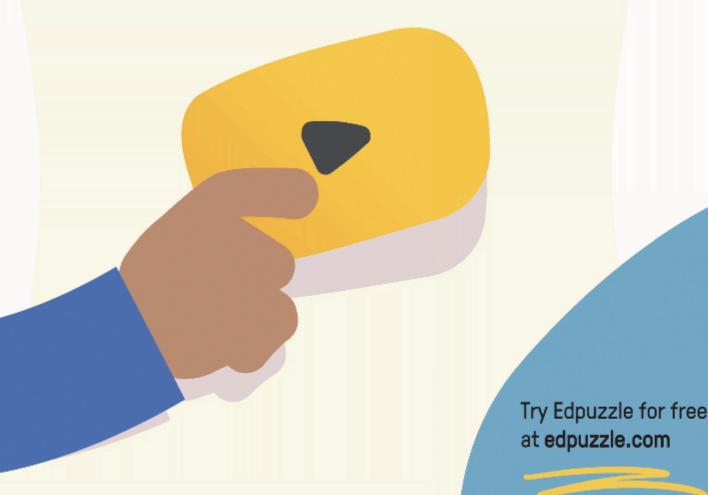


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# **MESSAGE**

## YBHG. DATO' HAJI PKHARUDDIN BIN HAJI GHAZALI

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION MALAYSIA MINISTRY OF EDUCATION MALAYSIA

Assalamualaikum Warahmatullahi Wabarakatuh dan Selamat Sejahtera.

The Ministry of Education has always worked closely with the Malaysian English Language Teaching Association (MELTA) in realizing its vision to advanguage education in the country.

I would like to take this o MELTA on its publication of The Ministry appreciates the role to actively playing in ensuring language through various ini conference and various activities run by cha ten states. MELTA also provides an opportunity for researchers to publish their works academically through journals and sharing of best practices and ideas in MELTA Annual. MELTA's continued dedication has enriched the participants' experiences and engagement with the various issues and challenges confronting the educators related to English language teaching and learning. The global spread of English language is in no way slowing down and I am glad that MELTA provides a common platform for all English educators to engage in such stimulating conversations.

I also wish to record my appreciation for all the initiatives by the MELTA committee in its efforts to remain relevant and productive; at the same time keeping abreast with all the latest developments in the field. I wish the committee members the very best in achieving the objectives this year.

Thank you.

DATO' HJ. KKHARŰ DÖIN BIN HJ. GHAZALI





**MESSAGE** 

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR DR RAMESH NAIR

THE PRESIDENT OF MELTA

The MELTA Annual 2022 provides insights into the association, particularly how MELTA works to advance English language education and empower members through continuing professional development activities.

In 2022, a new MELTA committee took the reins, and we have worked hard to organise activities and ensure that the association remains on track to meet its goals. In this publication, you will learn more about MELTA, our network of partners both in Malaysia and overseas, and the opportunities we try to create for sharing knowledge and professional development.

As a not-for-profit organisation, MELTA relies on the voluntary support of its members, and on the financial support of our partners. I take this opportunity to recognise and thank the individuals and organisations that have contributed to the successful management of all our activities in 2022.

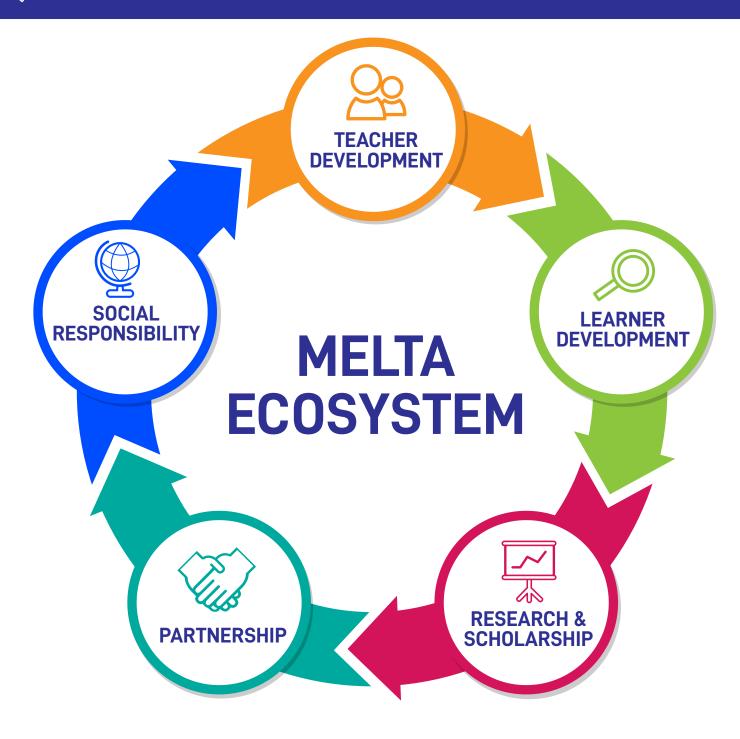
I hope you will take time to read the MELTA Annual 2022. If you share our vision for advancing English language education, do reach out to us and find out how you can play a more active role in the association.

Finally, I take this opportunity to congratulate MELTA's Publications Bureau on MELTA Annual 2022. Happy reading and we look forward to your continuous support.

Thank you.

Ramesh Nair





#### WE ARE MELTA.

Malaysian English Language Teaching Association (MELTA): An Expanding Ecosystem

- Chapter Activities
- ELT Network
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#### WE ARE MELTA.

About the Malaysian English Language Teaching Association (MELTA)



#### **TEACHER DEVELOPMENT**

This is the founding mission of MELTA and still remains as one of the primary agenda of the organisation. As the only national professional English language education organisation, MELTA assumes the responsibility of being the centre for professional expertise and practice. It is a non-partisanorganization that is open to work with all national and international experts to promote and develop high quality professional practice among English language educators. Activities and entities that drive this agenda include the following:



#### THE MELTA CHAPTERS

The MELTA Chapters initiative was launched in 2000. The goal of the MELTA Chapters is to support the creation of local teacher networks with the aim of empowering educators to take control of managing their own needs, using expertise and resources available locally, and through collaborations with other Chapters. MELTA Chapters run regular seminars, workshops, conferences and otheractivities as face-to-face sessions or digitally. MELTA Chapters are currently established in Penang, Perak, Kuala Lumpur, Melaka, Johor, Pahang, Terengganu, Kelantan, Negeri Sembilan, Sabah and Sarawak.

#### **ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHER NETWORK**

The ELT Network originated from the MELTA Special Interest Groups. The MELTA ELT Network (MELTN) aims to connect teachers with similar areas of interest or stages of career development within Malaysia and regionally. One of the very active groups in the MELTN is the early career teacher network which carries out online and offline regular professional development and community engagement activities. The next phase of development for the MELTN is its plans to expand the network to the ASEAN region.

#### **MELTA INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE**

MELTA currently runs two international conferences.

#### **MELTA International Conference**

The first is its flagship, the MELTA International Conference is currently in its 30th year of running. In earlier years, MELTA used to organise close to four international conferences in a year but has now chosen to do a single conference each year. The MELTA International conference moves to a different state in Malaysia each year. This is to ensure Malaysian educators from all localities get the opportunity to participate in an international conference, affordably.

The conference has become internationaly recognised with strong local and international followings. Participation in MELTA conferences ranges from 500 to 600 delegates, including international delegates from over 15 countries annually. MELTA international conferences are unlike most other conferences and offer a range of academic and professional development activities for educators but also provides activities for students as well. The International conference is also a venue where numerous competitions are held, and awards are presented. These include awards for :







#### **Teachers**

- The MELTA-Hyacinth Gaudart Award for Outstanding Achievements in English Language Education.
- The MELTA–Basil Wijasuriya Award for Best Teacher Presenters at the conference
- The MELTA–Malachi Edwin Vethamani Creative Teacher Showcase Award
- The MELTA Creative Student Teacher Showcase Award
- The MELTA Creative Higher Education Teacher Showcase Award
- The MELTA Oxford Fajar Way With Words Competition Award
- The Ganakumaran Subramaniam Project-Based Learning Award
- The MELTA Mind Academy Creative Student Award

#### Schools

• The MELT-A-HEART Book Award

# The MELTA International Conference on Research in English Language Education (MIRCELE)

MIRCELE is convening the conference for the 11th year. The original aim of the conference was to promote and encourage quality research among postgraduate students in Malaysia. By the third conference, the scope of the conference had expanded to include student teachers, postgraduate students, teachers and higher education academics. The conference became international to allow for wider benchmarking of research quality. The one day conference is run using a unique format of a competition showcasing and defending participants' research. There are five categories in the competition:

- Teacher Trainers/Academics
- Ph.D Candidates
- Master's Students
- Teachers
- Teacher Trainees/Undergraduates









The event is conducted in two rounds. Round one is the poster session and competition. All posters are judged by a panel of expert judges. Judges shortlist up to five quality research for Round two. Round two involves the shortlisted researchers making an oral presentation and a viva voce-like defense of their studies. The judges will select high quality research in each category for the Gold, Silver and Bronze awards

## CERTIFICATION, ENDORSEMENT AND TRAINNING

This component is a restructured and updated version of some of MELTA's earlier activities. Over the last five years, MELTA has been engaged in quality assurance and endorsement of private and corporate English language and teacher education programmes. It has also been involved in undertaking customised training programmes for public and private school teachers as well as students based on their needs. In 2019, MELTA launched an initiative to develop its own teacher training certificates for pre- and in- service teachers who are keen to acquire or upgrade their teaching competence and knowledge.











#### **LEARNER DEVELOPMENT**

This mission was incorporated into the MELTA's goals in the late 1990s. This meant that apart from recognising teacher development work, MELTA would devise and actively involve itself in a range of activities that support teachers and schools in developing the English language proficiency of learners. Learners always take center stage and hence taking into consideration the diverse ways in which students learn and also to promote inclusivity in the classrooms was also the focus.

#### **WORKSHOP AND SEMINARS**

MELTA runs workshops and seminars for students based on requests from schools, teachers or institutions of higher education. MELTA does not offer off-the-shelf programmes. MELTA organises camps for students in collaboration with schools or districts. These camps are aimed at providing an environment for students to develop a love for the English language using fun-filled activities. The camps also focus on developing overall learner motivation and positive attitude towards studies and schooling.



#### **WAY WITH WORD (WWW)**

WWW is a competition conceptualised and organised by MELTA. It is a fun filled event that is open to teams of three students competing over several rounds to decide the winners. Each round assesses different language abilities which includes spelling, word play, collocation, sentence construction and others. MELTA runs two competitions each year for upper primary and lower secondary students. However, adapted versions of WWW have also been organised for college and polytechnic students to accommodate other contestants. Winning teams are awarded with certificates and cash prizes.



#### PROJECT BASED LEARNING

The activity was launched in 2019. The focus is to allow students to showcase, explain and defend projects that they have undertaken in schools. PBL is about students and their learning by making connections between classroom learning and the real world. This activity is designed to gauge students' ability to take initiative, solve problems and communicate ideas that demonstrate the connection with the real world. Winning projects are awarded certificates and cash prizes. In 2021, it was renamed The Ganakumaran Subramaniam Project-based Learning Competition in honour of the late Professor Dr Ganakumaran Subramaniam, immediate past president of MELTA.











#### THE MALAYSIAN INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS INNOVATION AND CREATIVITY **CHALLENGE (MISSIC)**

The MISICC is the latest formulation from MELTA with the inaugural challenge scheduled for April 2020. The focus of this activity is to promote, nurture and recognise innovative and creative ideas among young people. The challenge comprises three categories — university, secondary and primary. Winners are awarded with certificates and cash prizes.









#### RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP

The research and scholarship dimension of the MELTA profile is an expansion of one of the earliest activities that focused on MELTA's first journal, The English Teacher and quarterly newsletters. The expansion exemplifies MELTA's goal of being a centre for excellence for ELT research and scholarship. The activities under this category are briefly described below.

#### **ELT PUBLICATIONS**

MELTA has two ELT series to its name. The first is called the MELTA-Sasbadi ELT series. To date, this series has over twenty book volumes. The goal of this series is to provide an avenue for Malaysian ELT professionals to publish authored or edited volumes focused on research or pedagogical practice.

The second ELT publication is called the USM-MELTA ELT in Southeast Asia series. The focus of this series is to encourage collaboration between ELT professionals in Southeast Asia. A condition that must be fulfilled for publication is that at least one of the writers or editors must be from another Southeast Asian country. This series provides writers or editors to conduct comparative studies and showcase how particular ELT- related issues or problems are managed in Southeast Asian countries. Apart from this such a collaboration enables participants to evaluate ELT practices and to understand the contextual considerations that impact teaching and learning.

#### **ACCREDITATION**

Accreditation, another activity with this dimension is quality assurance and accreditation of commercial products and programmes. MELTA is usually commissioned by corporate organizations to carry out assessments of their products or services and provides audit reports for improvements. Once the requirements are met according to the specified standards required, the products or services may be accorded the MELTA accreditation or endorsement.

#### **JOURNALS**

MELTA publishes two journals comprising five volumes each year providing a platform for researchers to publish their articles. The English Teacher is among the oldest ELT journals in the country and is an extensive resource of ELT literature on Malaysia and the region. This journal largely focuses on classroom practice. The journal is indexed in MYCITE and the ASEAN citation index. The second MELTA journal is called The Malaysian Journal of ELT Research. The focus of this journal is the publication of research articles. The journal is also indexed in MYCITE.

#### THE MELTA ANNUAL

The MELTA Annual is an annual publication that highlights the transformations and activities of the organization. It captures and archives experiences of ELT practitioners and researchers from all over Malaysia. This publication represents MELTA and reflects the impact the organization has made each year in the ELT community.

#### INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE GRANTS

MELTA offers international conference grants to Malaysian ELT professionals. Interested professionals can apply for the grant by submitting a proposal for screening and selection. This programme allows grant winners to attend a choice of international conferences in Thailand, Indonesia, India, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Cambodia, Hong-Kong, Taiwan, Mongolia, South Korea, Japan, Brunei, Global Chinese, Nepal and Philippines.







## PARTNERSHIP

One of the main reasons for MELTA resilience and sustainability as an ELT organisation for 61 years, is its strategy of engaging in strategic partnerships with key stakeholders. The MELTA partnership agenda is categorised into national and international partnerships.

#### NATIONAL PARTNERSHIP

MELTA has a range of public and private partners. The Ministry of Education, Malaysia has been a consistent advocate and has been a pillar of support to all MELTA activities since its inception. Other public partners include state governments, public schools and higher education institutions. MELTA also works in partnership with government-linked companies and agencies.



#### INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIP

MELTA has reciprocal agreements to support cross national professional development and research with the following 16 international organizations.

- Thailand TESOL
- KOTESOL. South Korea
- TEFLIN Indonesia
- ETA-ROC, Taiwan
- JALT, Japan
- CamTESOL, Cambodia
- PALT, Philippines
- ELTAM, Mongolia
- ELTAI India
- HAAL, Hong Kong
- IFT Sri Lanka
- JACET, Japan
- BELTA Bangladesh
- · KATE, South Korea
- NELTA, Nepal
- Global Chinese Education China Assembly



#### **SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

Last but not least, among MELTA's trust is the work that it undertakes to contribute its part towards social responsibility. Under the banner of MELT-A-HEAT, MELTA's social responsibility initiatives include tuition for underprivileged children, and an initiative to set up libraries and reading corners in rural primary schools in underprivileged communities. To date, MELTA has contributed to the establishment and enhancement of libraries and reading corners in over 40 schools throughout Malaysia.



Each year, MELTA reviews its vision, mission, strategies and activities while embracing the changes taking place in the ELT arena. The goal is to engage in a continuous development cycle to review, enhance and upgrade MELTA engagements and contributions, to ensure that the efforts and initiatives shown by MELTA members and volunteers in envisaging the future of language learning, through their various initiatives. Like the waves that shape the landscape of the world, MELTA aspires and works tirelessly to achieve a huge impact in different contexts and different paradigms to raise the bar in the ELT landscape of Malaysia and in other regions.







#### **MELTA LOGO**

MELTA is the acronym for the Malaysian English Language Teaching Association. The Stylised 'M' is a symbolic representation of the 'M' in MELTA. It is stylised to demonstrate that MELTA is a flexible and dynamic organisation. The 'M' breaks the boundaries of the rectangular blue box to show that MELTA and Malaysian teachers need to work both within and outside the box to achieve greater success. It also suggests that there should be no limits to education and learning.

The Rectangular Box represents the conventional world of education and language use. Royal blue is the MELTA colour and has been used in its logo since the establishment of the organisation. It represents resilience, depth and stability in education and learning.

The colour white represents the notion of tabula rasa in education. It reflects the purity of the earners and the act of learning.







#### **MELTA VISION & MISION**



To be a leader among English language education organisations contributing to the quality of English language education and high standard of English in Malaysia and internationally



To be the centre for professional expertise and standards in English language education and programmes, teaching and learning material and practices, community out reach projects, and national and international collaboration aimed at creating a powerful and positive education ecosystem.







Teacher development covers a wide spectrum of activities from conferences to trainings, workshops and seminars on professional development or upskilling for English Language educators in line with the Education philosophy. MELTA is the only national professional English language education organisation and assumes the responsibility of being the centre for professional expertise and practice. MELTA has been and will always be the centre for professional ESL expertise and practice. Educators and teachers in schools get the opportunities to share and present their work or best practices at the English platforms set-up by MELTA through the MELTA chapters, English Language Teacher Network and national and international conferences.



#### **BUREAU - MELTA CHAPTERS**











For the year 2022, we've had 12 Chapters carrying out both on-site and online activities. Some of the chapters established new committee set-ups and the transition towards the post-pandemic phase proved to be a little difficult in organizing programs but they have all moved forward successfully and efficiently. These activities were conducted with various structures ranging from the sole chapter, inter-chapter collaborations and collaborations with external groups.

To all the dedicated and passionate Chapter teams, MELTA extends its heartfelt appreciation, it is indeed heartening to realize that someone somewhere had an opportunity to advance because of these committed teams. While excelling, MELTA is hoping for more chapters to be established so that we can reach out further to the ELT fraternity around Malaysia.





#### **PAHANG - MELTA CHAPTERS**



Chapters Leader

Noorjahan bt Sultan

**Deputy Chapters Leader**Noor Azlinda bt Zainal Abidin

Secretary

Laily bt Zainal

**Treasurer** 

Suhaila bt Mukhtar

**Committee Members** 

Zaikiah Hanim bt Mohd Toha

#### **EVENTS IN 2022**

MELTA Pahang Chapter 1st Meeting

Date:

18th January 2022 (Tuesday)

Time:

9.00am

Platform:

Google Meet

Agenda:

MELTA Heart 2022

## **EVENTS IN 2022**

MELTA Pahang Chapter 2st Meeting

Date:

6th November 2022 (Wednesday)

Time:

9.00am

Platform:

Richiamo Indera Mahkota

Agenda:

Now Everyone Can Write 1.0

#### NOW EYERYONE CAM WRITE 1.0 COORDINATION MEETING WITH OUM KUANTAN

Date

9th November 2022 (Wednesday)

Time: 5.30 am Platform:

Google Meet







#### **ACTIVITY 1**

On June 17, 2022, the MELTA Pahang Chapter kicked off the year's activities, after a six-month collaboration with 13 schools and organisations to distribute 4,000 children's storybooks to 100 schools, including 35 primary schools and 65 KEMAS kindergartens as part of the MELT-A-HEART initiative.



#### **ACTIVITY 2**



Now Everyone Can Write has been successfully hosted by MELTA Pahang Chapter together with OUM Kuantan. Presented by Mr Alagesh a senior reporter from New Straits Times Press; the session was indeed an exciting one with academicians, classroom practitioners, corporate officers and students sharing their thoughts about writing.

This event intends to provide a certain understanding about writing, how to generate ideas, the important aspects that need to be considered, the writing cycle and how they can be applied in producing an attractive and meaningful piece of writing.

#### **DETAILS OF THE EVENT:**

TITLE : Now Everyone Can Write
EVENT : 10 December 2022 | Saturday

TIME : 8.00 am – 12.30 pm
VENUE : OUM Kuantan, Pahang

AUDIENCE : 20

PARTNERSHIP : OUM Kuantan, Pahang
MPC FRIENDS : 3 (Afifa, Anniesa, Adriana)



Mr Alagesh Nathan



Madam Noorjahan Sultan



Madam Razalina Abd Rashid









#### **KOTA KINABALU - MELTA CHAPTERS**

#### **Excelling in MUET: Focus on Speaking workshop**

**DATE** 22.09.2022

**TIME** 9.00am - 11.00am

PARTNER / COLAB Language Department, IPG Kampus Gaya & EdPuzzle

PARTTICIPANTS 163 TESL pre-service teachers from IPG Kampus Gaya

SPEAKER Mr. Eric Constantine, Form 6 Academic Teacher, Maktab Sabah













#### **NEGERI SEMBILAN - MELTA CHAPTERS**





THE NEGERI SEMBILAN CHAPTER

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#### **EVENT 1**

#### Action Research Challenge (ARC 2022)









#### 1. YouTube Chat box:

#### HAMIDAH BT ABDUL HAMEED MOE

This information is very helpful indeed. Definitely a clearer picture on how to carry out AR especially on RQ s. Takes the fear and anxiety out . Thank you Dr Rashidah & Melta NS Chapter.

#### **KENNETH CHONG WEI THART**

Wow...that was an amazing presentation

#### **ZARINA HASHIM**

Great sharing Dr Rashidah. Thank you MELTA and ELTC for organising this webinar.

#### **CIKGU SUBA**

A very good and clear guide to AR. Thank you Dr and the team.



2. Aspects of the webinar which I particularly liked and why.

Emphasizing on teacher's own T&L problem to be solved.

I like the fact that AR was encouraged and introduced as 'practitioner research'; that will subsequently improve classroom instruction and will benefit both the teacher and learners.

The knowledge of the speaker and the ways she delivers.
Clear and easy to understand

Detailed explanation given by the speaker and the questions asked by the moderator, which I can say as the same as what I had in my mind.

Explanation of Research because during my study, almost everything is autonomous learning, and it is great to hear an explanation occasionally.

The clear explanation with examples by the speaker

Everything was orderly and both the presenter and moderator were pleasant to listen to. Of course, the presenter is very knowledgeable on the subject matter and very encouraging.

Forming the research questions. An easy way to understand the first step toward AR



#### EVENT 2

#### Action Research Challenge (ARC 2022)









1. YouTube Chat box:

#### **AWESOME CHIA**

Thanks for the response...
Thanks Dr & Sarah! Good sharing

#### **ZAS AS**

Thank you Dr. Great sharing

#### **MYZATUL SARAH YUSOF**

Definitely learned something! Thanks Dr

#### ZRHNA

My deepest gratitude to MELTA N9 & Malacca Chapters for this truly helpful session.





2. How do you think this webinar's input benefited you in your teaching profession.

The webinar provides lots of info and guidance on how to conduct AR.

MUET teachers are required to carry out research every year. This Webinar enlightened me further on data collection approaches that are more applicable. Dr Rashidah has helped to boost my confidence level to work my way up to present my research amidst the outstanding queue of PhD.

To improve teaching and at the same time, do research that will benefit the other teachers too

I can do research in the correct
way and, some input they gave,
makes it easy to understand
what I need to find in my research
and how I can get the solution
in the best way

This is something totally new to me, I will still need to adjust how I will be able to adapt the knowledge learned to conduct research from my classroom context.

The input in the sharing session helps to motivate me in my learning profession.

This benefits me to analyse and improvise teaching methods while reinforcing the core of the importanc of the English language while improving the teaching process.

It enables me to 'update' my skills and it's a great platform to gain my knowledge.



#### **EVENT 3**

#### Action Research Challenge (ARC 2022)















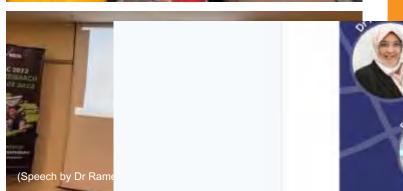


#### **EVENT 4**

#### **MELT-A-HEART**























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#### **TERENGGANU - MELTA CHAPTERS**







The Terengganu Chapter and Universiti Malaysia Terengganu collaborated to host the Malaysia Launch of the LANCET Countdown 2022 on December 15, 2022. The topics of climate change and its effects on climate change were the focus of the musical skit and choral speaking. During this 2022 Lancet Countdown Report Launching Ceremony, 103 students aged 10 -12 became UMT Child Ambassadors for Future Food and Climate Change. They became the voices and aspirations of the future generation. 13 English language







#### **MELAKA - MELTA CHAPTERS**













Our first meeting to set up the Melaka Chapter on 18 May 2018

The chapter was launched by Mr Aslam Khan (Vice President of MELTA) on 25 June 2019 during 1st International ELT Sysmposium Roising a Reading Generation organised by Institut Perguruan Guru Kampus Perempuan Melayu, Durian Daun, Melaka.











Sessions during the launch:

#### **Keynote Speakers**

1. Dr. Willy Renandya ( Nanyang Technological University , Singapore )

Can Extensive Reading Really Improve Lenguage Proficiency?

- 2. Dr. Lah Chin Ee ( Nanyang Technological University , Singapore ) Spark Joy
- 3. Assac. Prof. Datin Dr. Cynthia **Yolanda Doss**

( Nottingham Univesity , Malaysia ) Reading and Brain Blooming

#### **Paper Presentations**

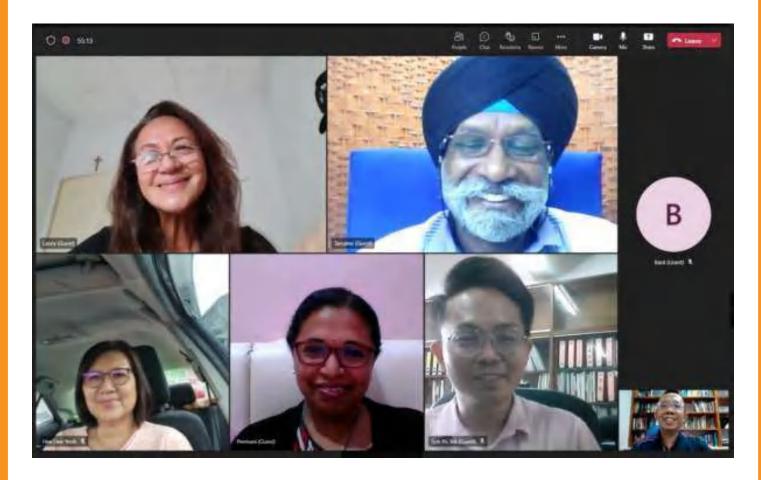
- 1. Ms. Mary Chye The How and the Why of Dialogic Reading
- 2. Ms. Lee Yean Lay Reading Joys and Chores Growing Pains in Raising a Reading Generation
- 3. Ms.Jai Shree A/P Bipinchandra & Ms. Zainon Noor Drama Strategies to Improve Reading Skills Among Primary School Pupils
- 4. Ms. Roslina Rasdi & Mr. Vasudevan Ramasamy

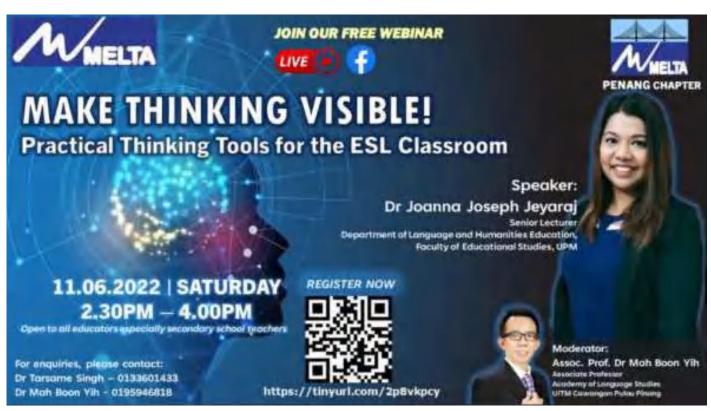
The Importance of Vocabulary Knowledge in Reading Proficiency





#### **PENANG - MELTA CHAPTERS**





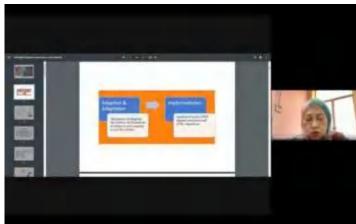




#### **KELANTAN - MELTA CHAPTERS**

#### **EVENT 1**





#### **EVENT 2**

MUET Final Countdown Workshop Series 1 18-20 September 2022











#### **EVENT 3**

MUET Final Countdown Workshop Series 2 3-4 October 2022

# Organised by : MELTA Kelantan Chapter, EdPuzzle & MUET Unit,

SMK Pengkalan Chepa 1, Kota Bharu, Kelantan









#### **2022 IN REVIEW**

The Malaysian English Language Teaching Association (MELTA) is a voluntary, not-for-profit professional organisation. Tracing its roots to 1958, it is the oldest English language teaching association in Malaysia which continues to be guided by its constitutional aim of advancing English Language Education. The association consists of fifteen members from various education institutions such as schools, Ministry of Education Malaysia, teacher education institutions, corporate organisations and higher education institutions. Over the years, MELTA has grown tremendously, realizing its mission and vision goals through various activities.

#### The 30th MELTA INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE (MELTA ONLINE) 2022

Every year the MELTA International Conferences provide avenues for ELT professionals to share innovations in sustainability directed policies, pedagogies and learning systems that explore global teaching-learning trends and countries and education systems in innovations to meet specific contextual needs. This event will bring together education policy makers, practioners and scholars to engage and collaborate with colleagues from around the world to solve key problems in the world of ELT and education.

This year the theme 'ENGLISH LANGUAGE EDUCATION AND THE 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT' brought together 751 delegates exchanging ideas and Include deliberating on ways. which ELT practitioners can leverage on the philosophy espoused in Education 2030 which calls for holistic and transformational education, encompassing learning content and outcomes, pedagogy and the learning environment

#### **CONFERENCE OBJECTIVE**

- To provide an opportunity for researchers and classroom practitioners in the field of English Language Education to share their work and encourage greater engagement with peers.
- To provide a platform for English language teachers and student teachers to showcase their creative solutions to challenges in English language teaching.
- To provide students with a platform to showcase their projects in STREAM (Science, Technology, Reading & Writing, Engineering, Art and Mathematics) through oral presentations using the English language.







































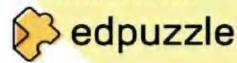
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# **JASON GOULAH**

10 SEPTEMBER 2022



Jasen Goulah, a professor of bilingual bicultural education and director at the Institute for Daisaku Ikeda Studies in Education, DeFaul University, Chicago & He is also the executive advisor for the Ikeda Center for Peace. Learning and Dialogue, Cambridge, MA.

Professor Goulah sets the tone for the theme of this year's conference, English Language Education and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

A former high school teacher, Professor Goulah's recent publications include TESOL and Sustainability. English Language Teaching in the Anthropocene Era (with John Katunich, Bloomsbury, 2020), and Hope and Joy in Education: Engaging Daisaku Reda across Curriculum and Context (with Isabel Nuñez, Teachers College Press), which received the 2022 Outstanding Book Award from the Society of Professors of Education.

#### PLENARY SESSIONS

# **JOSHUA JODOIN**

10 SEPTEMBER 2022 11.10 A.M. - 12.00 A.M.



Joshua Jodoin has a PhD in Global Environmental Studies from Kyoto University and over 14 years of teaching experience at universities in Turkey, China, and Japan. By offering practical advice and examples, he will share how Language Education for Sustainable Development can create global citizens, who possess the language ability to negotiate, explain, and share their ideas and solutions in meaningful ways.

#### PLENARY SESSIONS

# **LEE KEAN WAH**

11 SEPTEMBER 2022 10.45 A.M. - 11.35 A.M.



Kean Wah, LEE IPIDH is an Associate Professor in Applied Linguistics and the Director of Research at the School of Education, University of Nothingham (Malaysia corrous). He has more than 35 years of experience teaching the English language at all levels of basis education, in the School of Education, he teachers both undergraduate and postgraduate modules such as TESOR Methodology. Assessment in Larguage Education budgestanding Language Celarraing and the Language Education. Understanding Language Celarraing and the Language Education holderstanding Language Education, etc. He was recently awarded the Vicei-Chancellor Media for reaching innovation in 2021 by the University of Nottingham Urf. In the recent 2022 University of Nottingham Time 11-Campus Award. Dr. Lee was awarded UNIV Dictardoling Research Supervisor Award 2022. In july 2022, Dr. Lee was declared as one of the winners of the prestigious Lord Dearing Award 2022 for teaching innovation. Currently, Dr. Lee also serves as the Vice-President and Treaturer of PacCALL (Plachic Association of Computer-Assated Language Learning) which organises the yearly GLoCALL Internations conferences and workshops. He has also served the Guest Editor of CALL powneds such CALL-La, and (CALL-T). The lee has presented and published extensively in journals, book chapters and books in the field of CALL, teacher professional development and English happage tracking and learning. He can be reached at KannWah Lee@mattingham.edu.my.

#### PLENARY SESSIONS

# KATHERINE BILSBOROUGH & CERI JONES

11 SEPTEMBER 2022 3.00 P.M. - 3.50 P.M.





Katherine Bilsborough and Ceri Jones will jointly present their work as to founders of ELT Footprint, winner of the 2020 ELT ons award for innovation in Teacher Resources, Katherine and Ceri forward the idea of an ecokterate language learner by drawing on can do type statements in the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR).







#### FORUM SESSIONS

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5-Step Guide to Making Instructional Videos for the Teaching of English

Description: The aim of this workshop is to empower English teachers to create their own high-quality instructional videos. With these videos, traditional lecture-style direct instruction can be replaced, freeing up the teachers time to focus on other complex tasks and provide remediation on skills that students need to practice.

Speaker background: With more than 15 years of classroom teaching experience, Imran saw the need to continuously innovate and develop his pedagogical skills. He sees technology as a source of illumination for good teaching and learning, and led his school in the harnessing of educational technology most recently, before joining Eduzzle as a Trainer.





# FEATURED WORKSHOPS



# Majo Araujo (Edpuzzle, Mexico)

Getting Creative With Edpuzzle

Description: The aim of this workshop is for teachers to master all of the Edpuzzle basics: from registering an account, to creating your first video lesson, and accessing easy-to-read student data.

Speaker background: Trained in pedagogy and being a former classroom teacher, Majo has extensive experience in the harnessing of technology for teaching and learning. In the early days of the pandemic, she rose to the challenge of being able to appreciate what teachers would like to see and do for classroom teaching.





# **MELTA PROJECT BASED LEARNING (PBL)**



# **HIGHER EDUCATION TEACHING INNOVATION (HETI)**



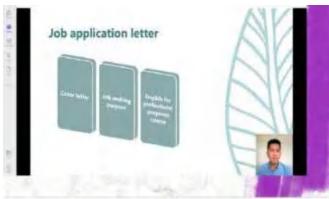
















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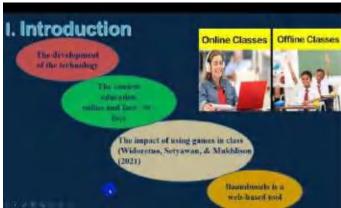
















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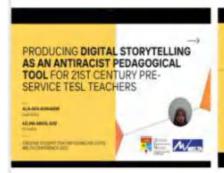


































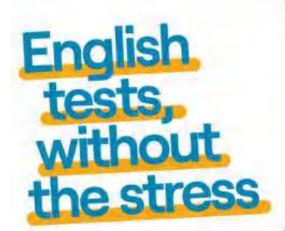








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# SPEECH HYACINTH GUADART AWARD AISHAH MOHAMED HAMDAN

Assalamualaikum and a very good day to all. I am deeply honored to be asked to pen down some words as the winner of the Hyacinth Gaudart Award for Outstanding Service to the Profession in conjunction with the MELTA INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 2022. I am extremely humbled by this award, and I would like to thank MELTA for such a prestigious recognition given. When asked what motivates me most when it comes to giving my heart and soul to this beloved profession? It has always been this stigma that perturbs me. I'm very sure many of you would have heard of this controversy all along.



"After learning the English language for 12 years, why are our children still incapable of using the language fluently?

This is one question that has always pierced through my heart and as it is heatedly debated across the nation, I vowed to stop at nothing when it comes to putting tireless efforts where English Language Education is concerned. I guess this is due to an act of faith. Each of us knows that in our own lives, we owe much of who we are and what we've achieved to great teachers. We can all name a great teacher who has inspired us Growing up, I was blessed to be taught by excellent English language teachers who shaped me to be who I am today. Miss Nair, Mrs Vincent, Ms Shylaja Williams, the late Mr KA, Pn Halimatul Saadiah. They became influential figures in my life, as they shaped the way I do things as a teacher, today. Their engaging fun ways of teaching were the ones that stay in my head till today. I did not come from an English-speaking background but the teachers I had in my life were so inspiring that I aspired to be like them. And here I am, chosen as one of the best English language teachers in Malaysia on the platform of the prestigious MELTA International Conference. I know that I too must provide my students with the same inspiration, I received many years ago.

Being on this journey is a true privilege because my stories and aspirations could reach far and wide in hopes that English Language Education can even be further escalated. How do we do this? In my line of work, I notice when language learning takes place, our learners are often deprived of authentic or genuine settings to learn. This leads to boredom, hence, uninterested learners becoming fearful of the language. For me, to survive these ordeals, I become a proponent of Project Based Learning as a call to action in bringing authentic classroom learning. I have taken language learning to a different game level. For example, in 2019, I initiated a Musical Play Production entitled 'Sing To The Dawn the Musical ', which was the FIRST large-scale production based on Form 5's literature text showcased to an audience across the country. I discovered that students' biggest problem was not reading the novel as they cast the novel aside. I knew that if I couldn't beat them, I should join them. Thus, I pumped in RM10K as the capital. I took out a loan to kickstart the project. The musical play was a huge success attracting 4000 audiences over 4-night shows and we made RM30,000 which was later, contributed to upgrading school facilities and giving donations to charity. The best outcome of all, the SPM English language results in 2019 was the best result ever in the history of our school.

Once again, I thank MELTA for recognizing my work and true enough, winning the Hyacinth Gaudart Award was a dream come true. I have also been blessed by being the TOP 5 in Malaysia Teacher Prize 2022 and my biggest hope is, as we provide more opportunities for our children to first enjoy learning the language, I dream that one day, the controversial question would no longer be asked as we have many great teachers out there who quietly devote their lives to inspiring our children. Thank You.



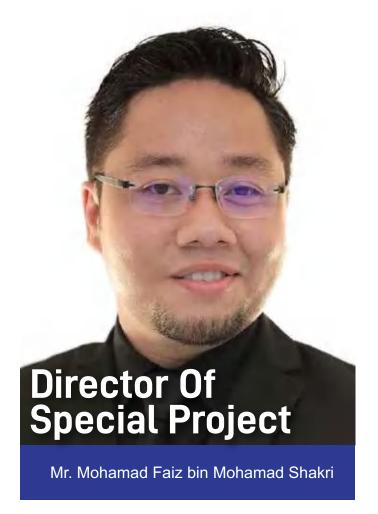




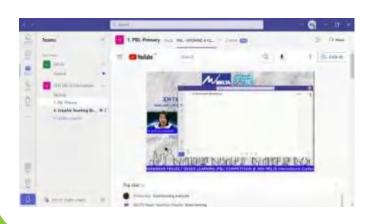
Learner development aims at developing the English language skills in the ESL learners. Besides teacher development, learners who are students will be given opportunities to participate in MELTA activities such as workshops, seminars, language camps (CHILD), Way with Words (WWW) and Project-Based Learning (PBL) competitions. These activities which fully support teachers, schools and institutions of higher education are aimed at improving language skills and proficiecy among students. A new competition, the Malaysian International Students Innovation and Creativity Challenge (MISSIC) will be introduced in April 2020.



# **BUREAU - SPECIAL PROJECTS**









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# GANAKUMARAN SUBRAMANIAM PROJECT BASED LEARNING COMPETITION

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# PRIMARY SCHOOL CATEGORY



SRI KUALA LUMPUR INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

Keara Yasmin Nathan , Haydee Amaya Weerasena , Siew Jing Cheng (Teacher Advisor: Lim Pei Jean)



SK MINDEN HEIGHT, PENANG

Sadhna A/P Sri Vijayaraj , Muhammad Zakaria Bin Seyed Ahsan , RittishaKumaran (Teacher Advisor: Norashikin Binti Zainull Abdin)



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Aida Raihanah Binti Muhamad Saadan , muhammad Syahir Haziq Bin Mohd Sahrilnizansiti , Nur Safiyya Binti Muhammad Saifullah (Teacher Advisor: Kamini A/P S. Selvaindran)

# SECONDARY SCHOOL CATEGORY



SEKOLAH SRI UCSI SUBANG JAYA

Jonell Chan Xin Ru , Ashley Goh Jia Xuan , SharvendraLingam A/L Paramalingam (Teacher Advisor: Iskandar Zulkarnain)



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Joyce PuyangMaurice Utap , Kong Xiu Ying , Joanna DevungMaurice (Teacher Advisor: Wong Wei Wei)



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Arsheeya Nair A/P Paramasivam , Reha Lakshmi Haritharan , HarsheniSanjay (Teacher Advisor: Hartini Binti Mat Hussain)





# TEACHER SHOWCASE

AWARDS

## MALACHI EDWIN VETHAMANI CREATIVE TEACHER SHOWCASE



Roselind Gan, Wong SuHuia, Chin Yee Yuen @ Kelvin Chin (Form 6 College, Tawau)



Chong Wan Lynn (SJKC Keat Hwa H, Kedah)



Lian Junxiang (SJKC Pin Min, Perak)

#### HIGHER EDUCATION TEACHING INNOVATION



Priscilla Shak, Wendy Hiew, Bernadette Tobi (Universiti Malaysia Sabah)



Gurmit Kaur A/P Labh Singh, M Kamala Palaniappa Manickam (INTI International College Subang)



Khong See Moi, Noraini Binti Said (Form 6 College, Tawau & Universiti Malaysia Sabah)

## **CREATIVE STUDENT TEACHER SHOWCASE**



Nurul Hadirah Binti Mohmad Azman, Nirmala Devi A/P Rajoo (Management and Science University)



Alia Aifa Binti Norharmi, Azlina Binti Abdul Aziz (Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia)



Quinstilius Anyui Anak Stanley, Charmaine Anak Julin, Grace Jeni Anak Willy, Clarissa Claudia Ho (IPG Kampus Tun Abdul Razak, Kota Samarahan)







Every ELT practitioner has different areas of interests. To attend to these interests, MELTA is pleased to support the creation of Special Interests Groups (SIGs) with the aim of providing opportunities for quality continuous professional development for its members. MELTA currently has three SIG groups:

- 1.Teacher Development for Beginning English Teachers (TEDBET)
- 2. Reading Advocates (RE.AD)
- 3.Computer Assisted Language Learning SIG (M-CALL)



# SIG ACTIVITY BY TEDBET

TEDBET in November 2022 carried out a forum on Guru Cemerlang: Career Path for Early Career English Language Teachers. The forum was held to provide insights on the Guru Cemerlang career path for young English language teachers so that they have a sense of direction in their career as English language teachers. It particularly targets those who are relatively new in service. This event was co-organised by Kinta Utara District Education Department, Kinta Utara Excellent Teacher's Council and MELTA Perak Chapter. The forum was moderated by Mr.Mohana Ram, the leader for the TEDBET.

# Guru Cemerlang: A Career Path for English Language Teachers





Guru Cemerlang: A Career Path for English Language Teachers





Research is significant to building knowledge and facilitating learning. In Research and Scholarship, MELTA strives to spearhead and support the advancement of innovative teaching practices that support teacher and learner development; built on theoretical and practical knowledge for the diverse multiligual and multicultural classrooms in Malaysia.

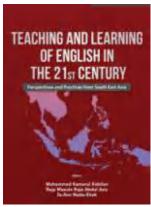


# **BUREAU - PUBLICATION**









# ELT PUBLICATIONS THE MELTA ANNUAL AND TEACHERS' VOICES

The MELTA Publications Bureau supports the development of content and materials for publications. Among its range of ELT publications are the highly successful MELTASasbadi ELT series. Launched in 2002, this series was developed to bring current research findings and new knowledge in the field of English language education to English language educators, ELT curriculum planners, textbook writers, graduate students and researchers in Malaysia and within the region. MELTA vigorously promotes the research culture through its research conference and outreach programmes. The MELTA Publications Bureau actively supports all these endeavours.

This year the MELTA Publications Bureau successfully published a new edited book entitled 'Critical Pedagogies in English Language Learning and Teaching: Foundations, Practices and Possibilities' .The idea for this edited volume came about in 2021, at the height of the global coronavirus pandemic. These articles are personal and professional insights of the authors into how critical pedagogies are understood and manifested within ELT in the Southeast Asian context. This publication is in collaboration with Universiti Sains Malaysia Press for the 'MELTA-USM ELT in South East Asia Series'.















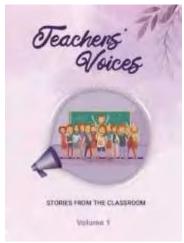


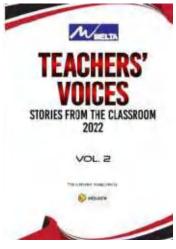


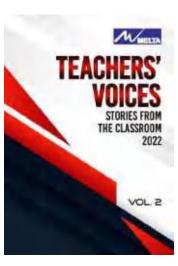


In the past, the Bureau published MELTA Matters, a quarterly newsletter. In 2018, the bureau published a 164-page coffee table book, entitled, The MELTA Story—Service to the Nation (1958- 2018) to commemorate the 60th anniversary of MELTA. The newsletters evolved over the years to become the MELTA Annual, which highlights the transformation of the organisation and reports on its numerous activities. In addition, the MELTA Annual also captures and archives the experiences of ELT practitioners and researchers in Malaysia. In essence, it represents MELTA and reflects the impact the organisation makes each year.

Other popular publications under the MELTA Publications Bureau are the Teachers' Voices: Stories from the classroom e-book series. Volume 1 of this e-book series was published in June 2021. The book contains a collection of classroom-based narratives written by educators sharing their experiences of teaching English. This year Volume 2 of this e-book series was launched during the MELTA International Conference 2022 with a total of 19 intriguing classroom narratives which unravel new insights and perspectives of the authors for readers to reflect upon.











# **BUREAU - JOURNAL**





MELTA is home to two peer reviewed journals which are The English Teacher and Malaysian Journal of ELT Research (MaJER). Both journals are open access and are published annually.

# The English Teacher

The English Teacher, which is Malaysia's oldest ELT journal promotes research and reflection on effective English language teaching and learning. The journal, which has been in continuous publication since 1971 is intended for an audience of ELT instructors who are involved in teaching English to learners of all age groups. The English Teacher is an open access, refereed online journal published in three issues (April, August, December) annually. The journal is indexed by the Malaysian Citation Centre and the ASEAN Citation Index.

# Malaysian Journal of ELT Research (MaJER)

Malaysian Journal of ELT Research (MaJER) is MELTA's second online journal. MaJER aims to advance knowledge of and to develop expertise in critical and scientific inquiry in English language teaching and learning. The journal is intended for academics, researchers, teacher educators and graduate students who are involved in research and dissemination of knowledge in the field. This refereed, open access journal is published in two issues (June and December) annually.

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# RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT





# Research and Development Bureau 2022

The Research and Development Bureau broke new ground this year with the establishment of three cross-border research teams in collaboration with BELTA (Bangladesh) and NELTA (Nepal). Focused on expanding professional networks and developing research experience, four MELTA members participated in research regarding the impact of Covid-19 on ELT education.

Upon seeing interest in such ventures amongst MELTA members, the Bureau also facilitated the formation of national research teams that consist of academics, postgraduates as well as practitioners. These teams have successfully presented and published their findings. Well done!

Apart from research teams,MELTA's Research and Development Bureau has been organising an annual ELT research conference since 2011. The conference was initially convened to support postgraduate students at Malaysian institutions of higher learning who were pursuing their studies in the area of ELT. The aim was to provide postgraduate students with a platform to come together and discuss their work and receive feedback from a panel of academics and experienced researchers. Over the years, the conference has evolved to include further presentations by academics and other educators, teachers, and student teachers who wished to present their research in ELT.

Testimonials from participating members:



Dr Yee Bee Choo

MELTA national research team.

This project allows me to have the opportunity to work with lecturers and teachers from different institutions. Thus, it enhances my knowledge and experience in the research area.



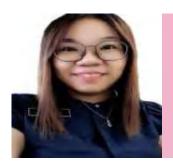
Dr Latha Ravindran

MELTA national research team.

The collaboration was a good initiative to expand our network and connect with researchers with similar interests. Though the researchers were assigned to us we were able to work together.







#### Ms Shee Yuen Ling

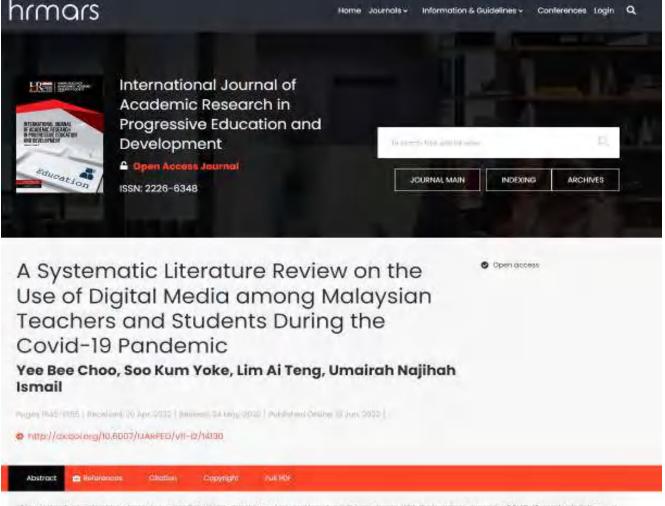
I enjoy working with the national collaboration research team. We have a few meetings to synchronise our part. We divide the tasks and every one of us interviews a few authorities. From that, we managed to collect new insights from them



Assoc. Prof. Dr. Aminabibi Bte Saidalvi Cross-border research team

I am honoured to be selected as one of the team members for this project. Meeting scholars from different time zones and backgrounds and observing their approaches to collaboration is an intriguing experience. By combining expertise and experience, we are able to expand the breadth of the study, and this later, I believe will maximise impact for individual and association visibility through high level of citations.

Article published by Dr Yee Bee Choo and team



Current developments with technology are significantly altering the teaching and learning in the classroom. With the lockdown due to the COVIC-19 pands rive the post.

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collect and process previous studies on the case of digital media among the searchers and students and their perceptions, as well as the issues and challenges for online





MELTA has partnered with various institutions which host the conference at their premises. Past partners have included the University of Malaya, Universiti Teknologi MARA, the International Islamic University Malaysia, Taylor's University, International Languages Teacher Training Institute, Kuala Lumpur and the English Language Teaching Centre (ELTC), Malaysia.

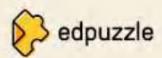
The conference follows a unique format where delegates present their research work to a panel of judges through poster presentations. This allows for engagement and discussion which provides delegates with direction for future studies in their areas of interest. The one-day event also offers the delegates a choice of workshops that they may choose to participate in.

This year the 11th MIRCELE virtual conference was organized and held on 17 December 2022. With medal winners from academic, postgraduate students, undergraduates, and teacher categories, MELTA continues to celebrate and promote research in ELT.

# 11th MELTA International Research Conference in English Language Education

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#### **OBJECTIVES OF MIRCELE**

- To support knowledge sharing and knowledge generation in English Language Education through research.
- To provide researchers in the field of English Language Education a platform to discuss their research with peers who share a common interest in similar areas.
- To provide Malaysian academics, teacher educators, teachers, postgraduate students and student teachers with access to feedback from a panel of experts in the field of ELT so that they may further their research activities.
- To provide a platform for conference delegates to collaborate and network with researchers working in similar areas of English Language Education.





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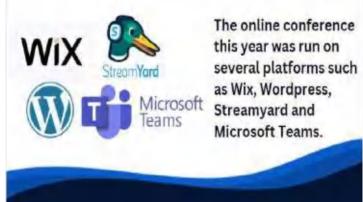


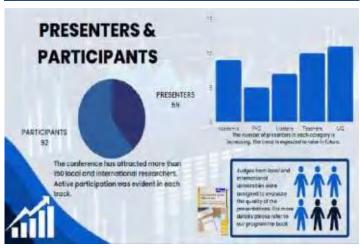








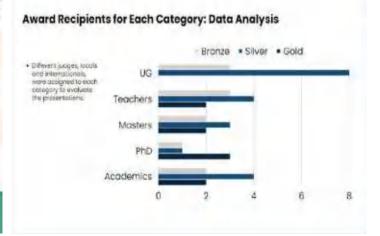






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#### What are the initial steps to kickstart a study or research?

- \* Identify a problem or areas for improvement
- Understand some preliminaries of the problem
  - Different theories, concepts, solutions in the literature
     Identify evidence-based solutions to the problem

  - . Find out how other people have investigated it and what worked
- \* Think of adapting/adopting novel solutions to your own context
  - . Identify collaborators, experts in that topic that can guide you
- \* Do something that interests/motivates you and has practical









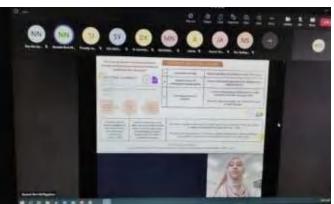






















# INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CONFERENCE IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE EDUCATION (MIRCELE)

In 2018, the bureau forged a partnership with the Kulliyah of Education, International Islamic University, Kuala Lumpur to organise the 8th Malaysian International Research Conference in English Language Education 2018. About 200 delegates attended and the conference also saw international participants from Libya, China, Iran, Indonesia, Hong Kong, Nigeria and Vietnam. There were 75 poster presentations under five different categories. A panel of 25 judges from 20 local and international instituitions of higher learning and the institutes of teacher education in Malaysia and abroad also joined in to adjudicate the presentations.

The MIRCELE conference promotes and encourages quality research among student teachers, postgraduate students, teachers and higher education academics in Malaysia. This is the ninth year, MELTA is convening the conference. The teaching community and stakeholders recognise MIRCELE as a platform to learn, share and grow in diverse ways via its research conferences and numerous competitions that caters to the group of novice researchers as well as the experienced researchers. Prominent facilitators and speakers in the featured workshops also provide opportunity for researchers to keep up with the current development and initiate collaboration with diverse groups of the ELE research community.



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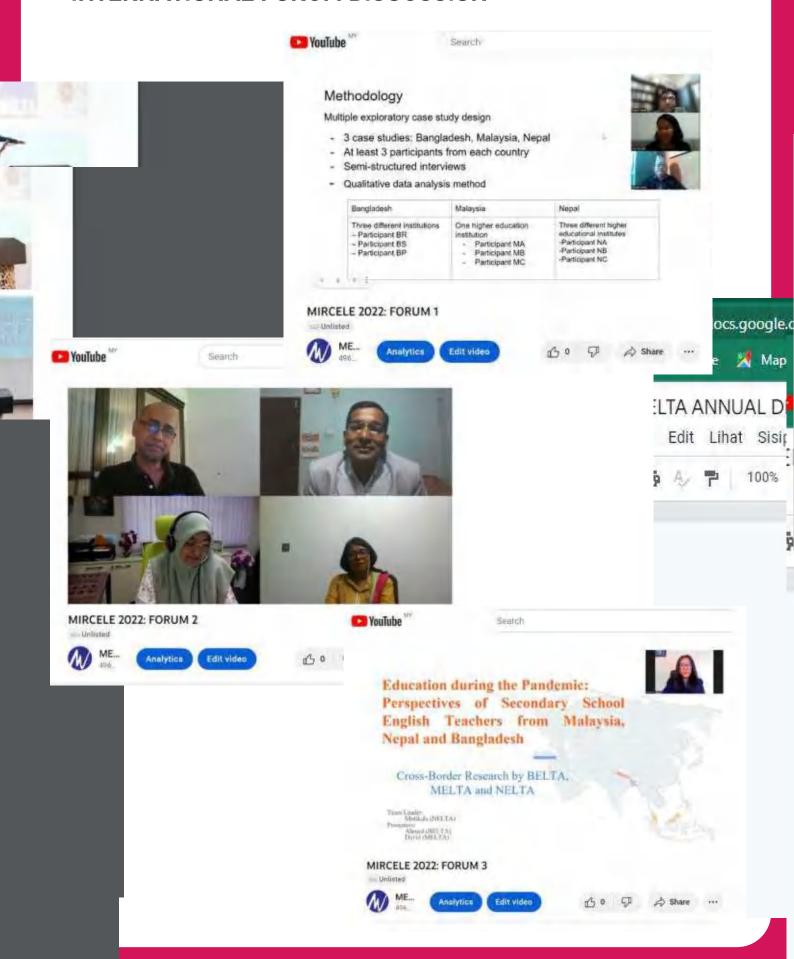








# INTERNATIONAL FORUM DISCUSSION







# **BUREAU - TRAINING**

In 2022, the bureau partnered with EdPuzzle to provide a training on material adaptation for teachers. As a pre-requirement to the training, trainers from MELTA had to complete the EdPuzzle Level 1, Level 2 and the EdPuzzle Coach 2022-2023 course. The mapping of the training module and module building took place on the 5th November 2022. The first training involving pre-service teachers will take place in January 2023.







# **Way Forward**

The bureau plans to develop relevant training programmes that caters to the needs of its members. We aim to conduct at least three MELTA workshops, both independently and in collaboration with other bureaus such as the Special Interest Group Projects, or Chapters Bureaus. The bureau looks forward to developing partnerships with government agencies, or private organisations to provide training programmes.











One of the main reasons for MELTA resilience and sustainability as an ELT organisation for 61 years, is its strategy of engaging in strategic partnerships. The MELTA partnership agenda is categorised into national and international partnerships. International – Institutions & Associations National – Institutions & Corporations Ministry of Education Consultancy Projects





# MELTA'S NETWORK WITH LOCAL & INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

MELTA as an NGO, collaborates with private and public organisations in specific areas in English Language Education. In order to realize its vision to elevate the standard of the English language, several joint programmes and projects have been successfully conducted with several organisations. New and upcoming programmes and projects are being negotiated for the benefits of learners, teachers and practitioners in the field of English Language Education in Malaysia.



### **NATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS**

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ORGANISATIONS

MELTA is proud to announce her commitment in expanding her wings to support teachers and to advance English language education in Malaysia by signing the MOU with EDPUZZLE INC. This collaboration will allow for trainings as certified coaches and series of webinars for teachers and pre-service teachers. Besides this, MELTA has also collaborated with Sri KL International School for the MELTA International Conference 2022 and NISAI. Collaboration with ORBIX International Schools pave another platform for MELTA to assist in the storytelling competition.











## **INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS**

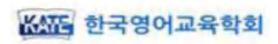
MELTA has reciprocal agreements to support cross-national professional development and research with the following 16 international organisations. Among the benefits gained by educators are; the opportunity to present papers and collaboration in writing research papers.

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- KOTESOL, South Korea CamTESOL, Cambodia
- TEFLIN Indonesia
- ETA-ROC, Taiwan
- · JALT, Japan
- PALT, Philippines
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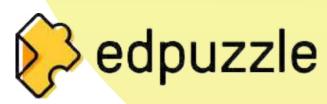
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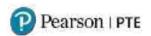
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In recognition of your support and collaboration in 2022, we would like to extend the certificate of appreciation to your team. When working together we can best help our students and clients access a brighter future.

Wishing all at Malaysian English Language Teaching
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a happy and healthy 2023

Matthew Lampkin Director, PTE Asia, Pearson Test of English

MELTA is honoured to receive recognition from our long-standing and strong partnership with PTE Asia, Pearson Academic (Malaysia), as the PTE Sales for 2022 have climbed significantly in Malaysia and around the globe. Since the launch of the PTE Partners Program this year, PTE Academic Online has been recognised by MQA as an accepted English test to meet English competency requirements for international student admissions into public and private universities. It is hoped that this collaboration will further create better teaching and learning experiences for the future.

# **MELTA IN THE NEWS**



MELTA had the opportunity to work with Orbix International Schools in the 'Tell Me A Story, Story Telling Competition 2022' which was held on 12 November, 2022 at the AEON Mall Klang. A total of 300 participants from both the primary and secondary schools took part in the competition organised by the ORBIX Education Group. Kudos to the winners who have shown their talent and knowledge in using the language in the storytelling competition.











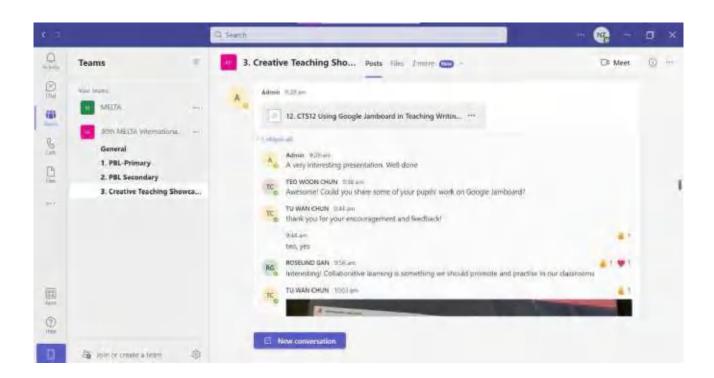






# CTS12 USING GOOGLE JAMBOARD IN TEACHING WRITING IN THE PRIMARY ESL CLASSROOM









# **COMMENTS AND Q&A**

#### Admin 9:28 am

12. CTS12 Using Google Jamboard in Teaching Writing in the Primary ESL Classroom.mp4

#### TEO WOON CHUN 9:38 am

Awesome! Could you share some of your pupils' work on Google Jamboard?

#### **ROSELIND GAN 9:56 am**

Interesting! Collaborative learning is something we should promote and practise in our classrooms

#### KHONG SEE MOI 10:05 am

Very interesting. We can use Google Jamboard for college students in the writing classroom too.

TAN WEE CHUN 10:11 am

Nice presentation.

#### **TEO WOON CHUN 10:11 am**

I believe that your students must have enjoyed your English lessons. Fantastic!

### TU WAN CHUN 10:18 am

they enjoyed themselves very much indeed and keep reminding me to use it again

#### Admin 9:28 am

A very interesting presentation. Well done

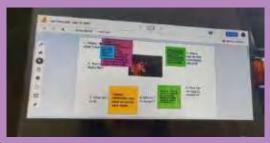
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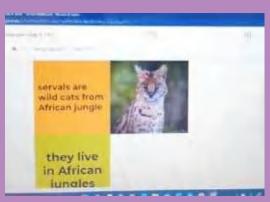
thank you for your encouragement and feedback!

TU WAN CHUN 9:44 am teo, yes

#### TU WAN CHUN 10:03 am

teo, i snapped the pictures during the process of using jamboard





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### NAJWA HUSNINA BINTI MUHAMMAD ZAWAWI 10:27 am

Well done! Very good presentation and clear explanation given. May i know how you taught your pupils to use Google Jamboard for the first time? or did they explore by themselves

# Zubaidah Bibi binti Mobarak Ali

10:55 am

Did you share this idea with other teachers?

#### TU WAN CHUN 10:57 am

yes, but now we are back to face to face teaching so they seldom use this tool to teach

### **CHONG WAN LYNN 10:58 am**

My pupils love Jamboard too and they always ask for more. But I do face one problem when using it. If one pupil accidentally delete the board, there's no way to retrieve it. Have you faced with this problem? If yes, how do you deal with it?

#### TU WAN CHUN 11:19 am

Thank you everyone for your questions and thought sharing. This is an excellent platform for us o learn from each other.

#### TU WAN CHUN 10:54 am

Miss najwa, first i introduced to my pupils about jamboard orally. then i give them some ideas about the usages. the first time of using jamboard, they faced a few problems as they were not familiar with it and they did not know how to type their ideas on the sticky notes in the jamboard. they need hands on practice at least twice

### NAJWA HUSNINA BINTI MUHAMMAD ZAWAWI

10:57 am

I see. That must be a bit challenging at first right. Thank you btw for your clarifications! in love

#### NUR ATHIYAH BT. KHAAD

10:59 am

I think if I'm the student, I will be so eager to learn in this kind of learning. I have some questions regarding this project: What is the main reason for you to participate in this competition? Is there anything anything that motivates you? How this project is helping you as a teacher in school? Has the questions posted to you help you in any way for your research? How so? Lastly, what benefits have you gain by attending this conference?





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### Melta Pahang Chapter sumbang 5,000 naskah buku cerita

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(UCYP), Universiti DRB Hicore, SWCorp, dan Persatuan Wanita UITM (Pewari). Majlis penyampalan sumbangan huku-buku itu diadakan di Dewan Al-Binari 2. Universiti Taknologi Mara (UTM) Kampus Khazanah Alam Jengka di hadin 65 ganu Tabika dan 35 ganu sekolah rendah.

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State Religious Affairs and Education Committee chairman Datuk Seri Syed Ibrahim Syed Ahmad(front, sixth from right) along with Pahang chapter Melta head Noorjahan Sultan(fifth from right) after the 'Melt-A-Heart' book handing over programme at UiTM Jengka. - Pic courtesy of Fikrah Pahang







It was an honour to attend the conference as a delegate on behalf of MELTA. I took part in an individual research presentation session and also represented MELTA in a forum session with seven other international partners. The theme for the forum was Learning from Students, Educating Teachers – Research and Practice. The MELTA delegate and all other international partner representatives received excellent attention from the organisers. Thank you MELTA for the opportunity to be an ambassador and become part of the conference. Presenting as a delegate from MELTA and meeting the international partners was a great experience.



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48th Annual Conference on Language Teaching and Learning & Educational Materials Exhibition (JALT 2022)

Date: 12 – 15 November 2022 Venue: Fukuoka, Japan

It was an honour to attend the conference as a delegate on behalf of MELTA. I took part in an individual research presentation slot and participated in a forum with international partners. The MELTA delegate and all other international partner representatives received excellent attention from JALT. Among the international partners who attended the conference were from Bangladesh, Taiwan, Korea, Philipinnes, Thailand and Indonesia. I was tasks to handle two important slots; the individual presentation and also the international forum discussing the theme of the conference. Thank you MELTA for the opportunity to be an ambassador and become part of the conference. Presenting as a delegate from MELTA and meeting the international partners was a great experience.

#### Below are the other presentations of partners

Partner	Family + First Name	Presentation Title	Time	Room
TEFLIN	Liando Nihta Vera	Learning from Students: Project-based in EFL Writing	Saturday: 1:20 PM-1:45 PM	401
ETAROC	Leung Yiu-nam (Andy)	Teaching Short Stories to EFL College Students in Taiwan	Saturday: 1:55-2:20 PM	401
MELTA	Saidalvi Aminabibi	The Perceptions of Engineering Students' Critical Reading Strategies	Saturday: 5:35 PM-6:00 PM	506
PALT	Vizconde Camilla	Literacy Development of Filipino Families During the COVID-19 Pandemic	Saturday: 5:00 PM-5:25 PM	506
ThaiTESOL	Thongprayoon Thanakom	EFL Teachers' Perceptions and Practices on Teaching New Language Structure	Sunday: 10:45 PM-11:10 PM	506
KOTESOL	Razzaq Kirsten	Podcasts As Digital Storytelling – A Learner-Centered Approach	Sunday: 11:20 AM-11:45 AM	406
BELTA	Haque Muhammed Shahriar	Cosplay and Language Teaching: What My Students Have Taught Me	Sunday: 12:30 PM-12:55 PM	401
Linguapax	Sethna Biba Jelisava	No presentation IAC Forum only	Presenting at IAC Forum	N/A
	IAC Forum	All JALT partner representatives' presence is required.	Sunday: 1:40 PM-3:10 PM	406
	PAC Meeting	All PAC partner representatives' presence is required.	Sunday: 4:00 PM-5:00 PM	401







# 1.





#### **RESEARCH FOCUS**

Plan a PBL to increase the engagement and improve the English language proficiency

Assess the pupils effectively and systematically All 7/29 7/30 7/31 🗓 🖺 🖺 🕒 🕃

Sub-themes

M. Academic research and publication. Curriculum development and material design.

Digital learning and technologies. English education in runtil areas. Language testing and assessment.

Reading, writing and iteracy. Research or critical transing. Teacher training and professional development.

Language teaching methods and approaches. English for young learners. Keynote speech.

Curriculum-based political and victuous awareness. Intercultural and international communication.

2022 Demonstration. 2022 Demonstration.

Thank you very much MELTA for providing me with this opportunity to join the Global English Education China Assembly 2022 which was being held from 28 July to 31 July. My experience at the conference is very positive and the sharing from the delegates on research is very beneficial to me. Sharing new ideas and teaching methods has widened my horizon and improved my ELT practice, which can empower my pupils' learning. Besides, I presented my action research to other educators virtually. It was a precious and wonderful experience. Looking forward to joining the conference again.

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#### FAITH WONG WOEI LING School Improvement Coach Kuching District Education Office



It was the first for me to join an assembly at the global scale and I was extremely excited when I knew that I was given the opportunity by MELTA. I was offered the Belt and Road Scholarship from the organizer for an online presentation. The 5th Global English Education China Assembly was a hybrid scholarly meet, happening in Hangzhou-China from 28th –31st July 2022. There were familiar names and some of the globally renowned keynote speakers, such as David Nunan, David Crystal, and Thomas S.C. Farrell.

The global education assembly discussed agendas related to English language education, practice, research and / or advocacy. There were altogether 14 international scholarship presentation among hundreds of other paper presentations. For the assembly, I shared my findings of a qualitative study on adult feedback as a linguistic event. Findings of the study revealed insights into the "who", "what" and "how" of providing feedback to adults. It also leads to the formation of a pragmatic feedback model for adult learning. The sharing leaned towards teacher training and professional development.



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# JALT2022 Introduction

全国語学教育学会 第48回年次国際大会教材展示会 2022年11月11日~2022年11月14日

福岡国際会議場・福岡県福岡市



Learning from Students, Educating Teachers-Research and Practice

Friday, November 11, 2022 to Monday, November 14, 2022 Fukuoka International Congress Center

JALT2022 48th Annual Conference on Language Teaching and Learning & Educational Materials Exhibition



# FEEDBACK FROM DELEGATES



Speaking as a student teacher / first time conference participant, the conference was great and insightful. I was interested in plenty of the parallel sessions - a great mix of local / international/ theoretical/ practical topics being presented by the experts that left me hard to decide which rooms to join. I believe the themes around SDG was timely and good choice indeed.

This is my 3rd year attending Melta conference and I can say MELTA has improved alot in conducting the conference online. It's easier for me to navigate through the rooms and the main room.



I am currently an international student in UPM, and I've meets many wonderful presenters and professors in this conference and listened to their research and insights really impressed me a lot.



As an ESL teacher, I've gained a lot of knowledge and skills from **MELTA** conferences over the years, and I have practiced some of the ideas in my classroom. I feel myself improving day by day and I will keep motivating myself to learn more teaching ideas for the sake of my beloved pupils who are in an under-enrolled school with ONLY 5 PUPILS. This is my very first time participating in the Creative Teacher Showcase competition. I enjoy myself in CTS very much and I've learnt a lot from the others (going to adapt some of the fantastic ideas for my pupils).





# SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY MELT-A-HEART

MELT-A-HEART is a MELTA CSR project. The project is a book collection programme that aims to enhance reading literacy among children in rural areas. To date, the MELT-A-HEART project has benefitted many schools and kindergartens all over the country.





# **MELT-A-HEART**

MELTA through the Pahang Chapter has initiated the MELT-A-HEART book donation campaign to 35 primary schools and 65 KEMAS kindergartens in Pahang. The event took place at UiTM Jengka, Pahang and was officiated by Yang Berhormat Dato' Sri Syed Ibrahim bin Syed Ahmad, the Pahang State EXCO and Chairman of the Pahang Islamic Religious Affairs and Education.

### PARTNERSHIP / COLLABORATION

DRB Hicom University, Pekan
University College Yayasan Pahang (UCYP)
English Test Center Malaysia
Intan's Oven Bakery & Cafe

### STRATEGIC PARTNERS

Collected books from schools and organisations

SK Assunta Convent, Kuantan
Sri Kuala Lumpur International School
PEWANI Pahang
SMK Tengku Panglima Perang Tengku Muhammad, Kuantan
SK Indera Mahkota Utama, Kuantan
SK Tanjung Batu, Temerloh
Inner Wheel Club, Kuantan
SMK Abdul Rahman Talib, Kuantan
Klinik Kesihatan Beserah, Kuantan
SWCorp Pahang
SMARTN Enterprise
Matahari, Universiti Malaysia Pahang
Pusat Tuisyen Genius Cemerlang, Kota SAS

### **VOLUNTEERS**

Cleaning and Sorting the books

MAMPAN (Majlis Mahasiswa Anak-Anak Pahang)





# MELT-A-HEART Book Giving Ceremory 17<sup>th</sup> June 2022 I Friday I 3.00 pm I UITM, Jengka Pahang





# Counting on MELT-A-HEART 2022

"Through the MELT-A-HEART initiative, MELTA
Pahang Chapter in collaboration with <u>DRB</u> <u>HICOM University of Automotive</u>
<u>Malaysia</u>, <u>University College of Yayasan</u>
<u>Pahang</u>, <u>Test Center Malaysia</u> and <u>Intan's Oven</u>
<u>Bakery & Cafe Kuantan</u> are looking to collect and distribute storybooks (new or pre-loved) to schools & kindergartens.

This initiative is part of our service to the community in view of the recent floods in Pahang which have damaged many school libraries and reading corners."

Planning for success will make you even more creative.

- Danielle Laporte -.

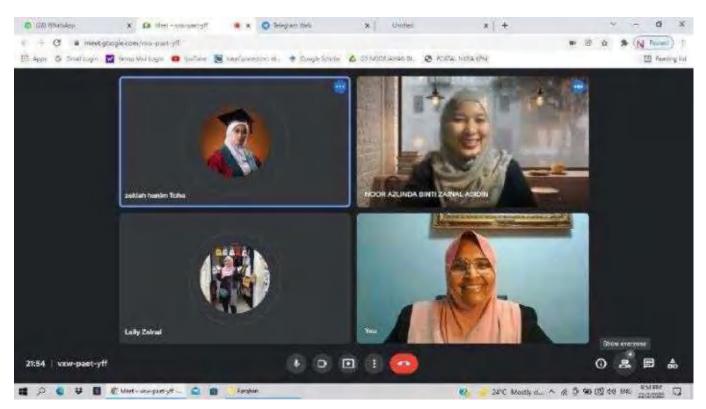




# Event in 2022 (MELT-A-HEART Coordination Meeting ) 8<sup>th</sup> February 2022 | Tuesday | 9.00 pm | Google Meet



# Event in 2022 (MELT-A-HEART Coordination Meeting) 22nd February 2022 | Tuesday | 9.00 pm | Google Meet







# Event in 2022 (MELT-A-HEART Coordination Meeting with Collaborators ) 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2022 | Tuesday | 9.00 pm | Google Meet



# Event in 2022 (MELT-A-HEART Coordination Meeting with UCYP) 9<sup>th</sup> May 2022 | Monday | 2.30 pm | Google Meet







# Event in 2022 (MELT-A-HEART Books Donation by SWCorp Pahang ) 11th May 2022 | Wednesday | 3.00 pm | UCYP Tanjung Lumpur



# Event in 2022 (MELT-A-HEART Coordination Meeting "Final") 11th June 2022 | Saturday | 9.00 pm | Google Meet







# **Event in 2022 (MELT-A-HEART Books Sorting by MAMPAN)** 23тн May 2022 I Monday I 9.00 pm I UCYP Taman Gelora





"Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart." - Elizabeth Andrew -

# Event in 2022

( MELT-A-HEART 2022 Coordination Meeting with UITM Jengka, PEWANI Pahang & Pusat Khidmat DUN Kerdau )

9th June 2022 I Thursday I 3.00 pm I UITM Jengka, Pahang







Funding Proposal for MELT-A-HEART

19<sup>th</sup> May 2022 I Thursday
SUK Pahang

Events in 2022
Funding Cheque for
MELT-A-HEART
6<sup>th</sup> July 2022 I Thursday
SUK Pahang





MELT-A-HEART 2022 | After Action Review 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2022 | Saturday | UCYP Taman Gelora













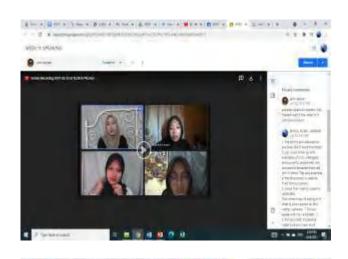
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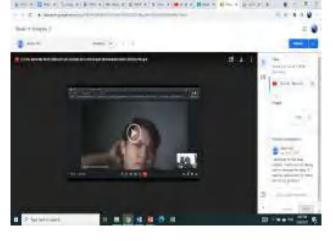
Universiti Teknologi MARA, Cawangan Johor, Kampus Pasir Gudang

Following the outbreak of COVID-19 in March 2020, schools and universities were shut all across the globe. This has resulted in education changing dramatically, with the distinctive rise of e-learning, whereby teaching is undertaken remotely and on digital platforms. The pandemic has unforeseeably affected my role as a teacher, leaving me in a state of initial shock and disarray. This is because I have not been trained to teach the students online and I do not want my students to be at a loss because I am in uncharted territory. Additionally, the epidemic has created communication difficulties, particularly with some students from underprivileged families who may have limited access to technology and the Internet. However, as teaching is a vocation that is intrinsically social and involves active connection with the students, I realise that I must be resilient and adaptive to ensure my students' immediate learning needs are addressed. In light of the fact that I can be seen as a luddite, I thus began researching technology-based learning platforms that suited the demands of the students and my capacity to navigate the landscape of EdTech. GMeet and Microsoft live streaming are my two preferred platforms for holding online classes. The most fascinating aspect of learning how to utilise programmes / applications to teach students is when I have to switch roles with my students since they are more advanced in using EdTech applications than I am. My students are now teaching me new things and our teacher-students relationship has never been better. Among the game-based learning applications that I use to assess the students' learning outcomes and function as a break from traditional classroom activities are Kahoot!, Quizizz, and Educreations. Although there were many difficulties when teaching had to be done online for years, I have always believed that finest teachers are those who are constantly willing to renew themselves by moving among the sea of course materials and absorbing new teaching techniques. There is no one-size-fits-all solution to teaching - every student responds differently to various teaching styles and progresses at his or her own pace.











### 2. DR. YEE BEE CHOO

IPG Kampus Tun Hussein Onn, Batu Pahat, Johor

Hybrid learning is a type of learning that involves students attending the class in-person and virtually from home at the same time. As an excellent lecturer, I was given a chance to do a teaching demonstration when the deputy rector from the Institute of Teacher Education Malaysia visited our campus on 1 November 2021. As it was during the semester break, there was no student on campus, so I had the deputy rector, our director, deputy director, lecturers and staff who joined my class in-person while I invited a few students to join the class virtually from home. I taught a lesson on the grammar item "Verbs" and I was able to engage the lecturers and students to speak in English by giving some examples. I could see that they enjoyed the lesson but it was interrupted due to a technical problem. The Internet was good that day but the technical problem arose when I couldn't display my PowerPoint on the screen. I think as lecturers or teachers, we need not only be good in disseminating knowledge to the students but also be a good user of technology. As the saying from John Dewey goes, "If we teach today as we taught yesterday, we rob our children of tomorrow." Technology has gone deep into everyone's life and it is essential for a teacher to obtain its knowledge and skills to touch the students' heart.







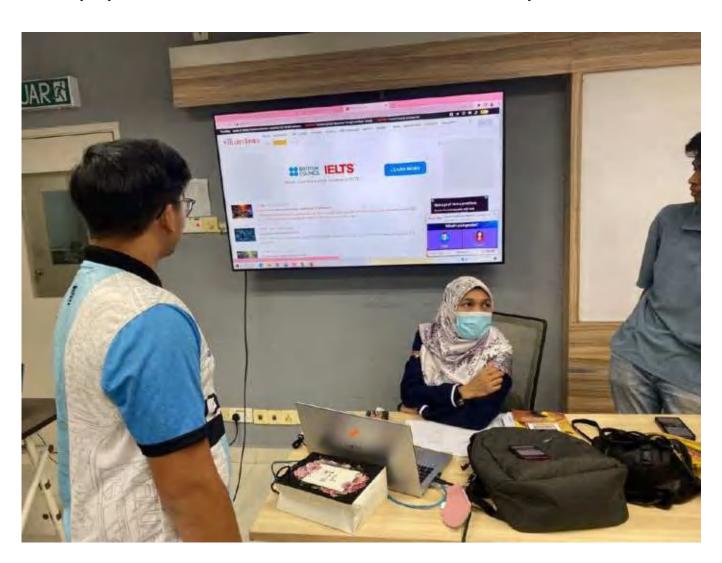


### 3. MAISARAH NOOREZAM

UITM CAWANGAN JOHOR, KAMPUS PASIR GUDANG

Newspaper, really?

I have known this for quite some time. But, it is even surprising recently. Local English e-newspaper. Not for me, but for majority of my students. They haven't heard nor even browsed the site! Let alone read it! I'm aware and quite certain that they couldn't care less the fact to read newspaper. Who ever think about that, right? For them, it is better to scroll their social media feed. Yet, newspapers is one of the best sources to teach language. It covers from vocabulary to tenses, and in my case argumentative article. It is funny yet interesting to see these students searching for 500 - 600 words of articles to meet the requirement of an assessment. From zero idea of how Malaysian English newspapers are, to coming back and forth reading many articles under Opinion section. In doing so, they learnt new words, styles of writing, become vigilant of the current issues, and also critically think of the author's opinion. They also need to find the author's tone. With this particular task, students are aware that they could learn so many things from a reliable source, newspapers. As teachers, it is our duty to educate our students to refer to a dependable platform and integrate this online newspapers into our teaching. You will be surprised to see how many of your students have ever visited our traditional source of news. Try it!













Thank you to everyone who have contributed to the success of all the events carried out by MELTA in the year 2022

















# **MELTA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBER 2022-2024**



ASSOC. PROF. DR RAMESH NAIR
PRESIDENT

Volunteers do not necessarily have the time, they just have the heart. Elizabeth Andrew

Being part of MELTA has provided me with the opportunity to work with other volunteers who are driven by a sense of purpose bigger than ourselves. Finding time is always a challenge, but we keep going with the hope that someone benefits.



DR CHEAH SWI EE VICE PRESIDENT 1

Miracles were just second chances if you really thought about it—second chance when all hope was lost.

Kaya McLaren To a great extent, education is about affording opportunities and hopes to better one's life. By holding on to this belief, teachers can be miracle workers, whom in return, get their lives changed for the better because of the students. Such is the wonderful cycle for all involved in education. This is also what you will find through the people and works in MELTA.



DR PREMALATHA NAIR VICE PRESIDENT 2

If life were predictable it would cease to be life, and be without flavor...Elanor Roosevelt.

I would like to embrace and flavour life through education. MELTA is one platform that gives me the opportunity to expand my wings and share knowledge and skills through various activities and events. Indirectly, I am able to engage and connect with many educators. I see this as crucial in educating myself and eventually flavouring the mode of teaching and learning process.





DR SZARMILAA DEWIE KRISHNAN SECRETARY

"Give a man a fish and you feed him for a day; teach a man to fish and you feed him for a lifetime."

—Maimonides

It's not just about giving learners all the answers. A superior teacher will help each child in their classroom cultivate a lifelong desire to learn and build the skills to find their own answers out in the world. MELTA taught me how to progress and flourish as an educator. One of the biggest reasons why MELTA is important and significant in my life is because MELTA has helped and still guiding become better versions of myself. The quantum learning obtained is a lifelong process of growth and development. It empowers me to become empathic individual, build my self-confidence, learn more about my strengths and address my weaknesses which eventually had led to me to evolve in the education fraternity. MELTA is indeed my second family who has nurtured and cared for my professional growth as well as my personal evolvements.



PROF DR SIVABALA NAIDU ASST. SECRETARY

"I am not a teacher, but an awakener" – Robert Frost My primary motivation in serving in the MELTA committee has been the realisation that MELTA has the capacity to enhance teacher competencies in ELT. Indeed, I have been able to do that and the fruits of the efforts I had taken to provide professional development opportunities for beginning English language teachers has been starkly visible with the rise of new talents within the ranks of MELTA. I hope to continue supporting MELTA to guide and support ELT practitioners to continuously improve on their teaching skills and strategies.



DR. TEH PEI LING

Accomplish or do not begin MELTA is a learning platform for me, it helps me gain more knowledge and know more ELT professionals. Together we share and grow!



ASSOC PROF DR SUBARNA SIVAPALAN
ASST. TREASURER

MELTA has played a significant role in my professional development as an academic. Over the years, I have had the opportunity to attend MELTA conferences and events which have enabled me to connect and engage with others within the ELT circle. It's an honour to serve with the MELTA team this year, and I look forward to more opportunities to learn and grow with the organisation.





DR JOANA JOSEPH JEYARAJ DIRECTOR OF JOURNAL

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MOHAMAD FAIZ BIN MOHAMD SHAKRI
DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL PROJECT

MELTA has been a crucial platform for lifelong learning and professional development for many of us working in the ELT space in Malaysia. My association with MELTA goes back to the early 2000s as a young academic and researcher. It continues to be an integral part of my professional journey at present too. MELTA has taught me resilience, agility and the true meaning of collective impact. I am grateful for the opportunity to be part of the MELTA family and look forward to many more exciting years to come.



ASSOC. PROF. DR AMINABIBI SAIDALVI
DIRECTOR OF PUBLICATIONS

"Women, like men, are obliged to increase their knowledge and teach the fellow beings by setting the best character" (Prophet Muhammad PBUH)

Whenever I walk into a classroom to teach, I feel the satisfaction of knowing that I am making a meaningful impact on the lives of my students, but after joining MELTA I feel even more contented as I know that I am opening the doors to life-changing opportunities for many educators out there to grow, develop and flourish simply out of a passion of teaching.



JANE CHAI EN-HUEY
DIRECTOR SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP

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THURAIRAJA SUNMOKASUDRAM DIRECTOR OF CHAPTERS

MELTA isn't only about professional development. It gives and elevates us to a greater dimension of professionalism in the educational field. The association brings us an identity and liberty to stretch our knowledge and skills which we then offer as our service to the community of English Language teaching and learning, both nationally and internationally.

"Live as if you were to die tomorrow. Learn as if you were to live forever." — Mahatma Gandhi



DR GRACE LIM JIA WEI
DIRECTOR OF THE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

As a new committee member, I am honoured to be given a chance to contribute to the research and development aims of MELTA. The importance of research in continuing professional development for all ELT stakeholders cannot be overstated and I believe MELTA plays a large role in providing opportunities for members of the association to learn and develop their skills and abilities in this direction.



DR AZLEENA MOHAMAD
DIRECTOR OF TRAINING BUREAU

The only person who is educated is the one who has learned how to learn ...and change'. Carl Rogers

There is no end to education. You just need to keep embracing learning and change accordingly. With MELTA, there is always something new to learn.



DR WARID BIN MIHAT DIRECTOR OF TECHNOLOGIES

"None is higher than the rest, unless he is higher in virtue." (Hadith).

Joining MELTA has helped me find new ways to give back to our community. Evidence of this may be found in the numerous programmes we run, including conferences, online workshops and seminars, publications, professional presentations, and knowledge transfer activities, all aimed at updating and rejuvenating the field of English language teaching in Malaysia. So far, the chances I've been given have aided in my quest for self-discovery and improvement, as well as in guiding the direction of my professional career



# **MELTA AWARD**

## **BASIL WIJASURIYA AWARD**

2003

Ms. Nirmala Ramakrishnan

2004

Ms. Pung Tze Ching @ Joanna

2005

Ms. Anita Johanna Rajkumar Samuel

2006

Mr. Marcus Raja @Markus Gatuman

2008

Mr. Zanurin Mohamed Safar Ms Liaw Meng Lai

Ms Harbans Kaur

2009

Ms. Rahmah Hj Sayuti

2010

Mr. Hyginus Lester Junior Lee Dr. C. Parameswary Chelliah

Ms. Wong Woei Ling

2011

Ms. Puteri Azirah bt. Abd Aziz

2012

**Gold**: Ms. Shantini S. Karalasingam

(SMK Bandar Baru Sg. Buloh)

Silver : Ms. Rahmah Hj Sayuti

(SM Sains Sembrong)

Bronze : Ms. Nor Fadzleen binti Saydon

(SMK Tasek Utara) Kuching

Gold : Ms. Chang Yee Shee

(SMK Kota Marudu) : Ms. Ng Sing Yii

Silver (SMK Green Road)

Bronze : Ms. Sally Wong Leng King

(SMK Saint Joseph)

2013

Gold : Cynthia C. James

(SK Kunak, Kunak, Sabah)

Silver : Daphne Roseline Henry Thomas

(SMK Tinggi Perempuan, Melaka)

Bronze : Chang Yee Shee

(SMK Kota Marudu, Sabah)

2015

Gold : Ng Sing Yii

(SMK Green Road, Kuching)

Silver : Santhi Krishnan

(SM St. Michael, Ipoh)

: Sheela Faizura Bt Nik Fauzi

(SMK Sebauh, Bintulu, Sarawak)

2016

**Bronze** 

Gold : Jen Renita Binti Mappah

(SK Merotai Besar, Tawau, Sabah)
Silver : Seetal Kaur a/p Manjit Singh

(SMK Air Kuning, Perak)

Bronze : P. Malliga Perumal

(SMK Dato'Shahardin, Labu, NS)

2017

Gold : Santiana Binti Ramli

(SK Labang Nabawan)

Silver : Mohana Ram Murugiah

(Methodist Girls' School, Ipoh)

**Bronze**: Dliyana John

(SK Pendidikan Khas Batu Pahat (P),

Rinamurnirah Binti Nasir

(SK Tanjung Batu, Kota Marudu, Sabah)

2018

Gold : Aishah Binti Mohd Hamdan

(SMK Raja Permaisuri Bainun, Ipoh, Perak)

Silver : Mohana Ram Murugiah

(SM Perempuan Methodist Ipoh)

**Bronze**: Muhammad Nabil Bin Abdullah

(SMK Taman Daya 2, Johor Bahru, Johor)

2019

TRACK 1 : Teacher Professional Development :

Thurairaja Sunmokasudram

TRACK 2 : Pedagogy Samantha Elesha Anak Salambau

TRACK 3 : Assessment and Evaluation

Norhafizah Hanoom bt Ahmad Azman Khan

TRACK 4 : Literature , Mah Zhi Jian & Winnie Ong Yuen Nee

TRACK 5 : Technology Ildina bt Mahadi



Gold : Nellicca Neleric Chong

(SK Nanga Bawai, Kapit, Sarawak)

Silver : Nordalina Binti Nailie

 $(SJK(C)\ Thian\ Chin,\ Sibu,$ 

Sarawak Malaysia)

**Bronze**: No winner

2022

Gold : Wong Kian Yong Silver : Nur Atiqa Ismail

Bronze : Aishah Binti Haji Othman

4th Place : Chok Sze Jin

# THE HYACINTH GAUDART TEACHER AWARD

#### 2009

Shah Rizal bin Mohd Akip @ M. Sarip Khairul Anuar bin Abd Manap Paramasvary Subramaniam

#### 2010

Tan Jee Ngoh Yap Yoke Chin Lye Mei Yin

#### 2011

Mahiran bt Mohd Noor

#### 2012

Shantini S. Karalasingam

#### 2013

Wan Hanim Mohamed Noor

#### 2014

Markus Gatuman @ Marcus Raja

#### 2016

Noorjahan Bt Sultan

#### 2017

Cynthia C. James

#### 2018

Nor Fadzleen Saadon

#### 2019

Ho Jia Yiin

#### 2020

Samuel Isaiah

#### 2022

Aishah Mohamed Hamdan

### SPECIAL AWARDS MELTA

#### Lifetime Contribution Award

#### 2009

Dr. Basil Wijasuriya

#### 2017

Datuk Dr. Mary Yap Kain Ching

#### MELTA Special Award

#### 2009

Datuk Razali Ismail

#### 2010

Dato' Paul Mony Samuel

#### 2011

Sasbadi Sdn. Bhd.

#### 2012

Prof. Dr. Hyacinth Gaudart

#### 2013

Prof. Dr. Malachi Edwin Vethamani

# **MELTA Commendation Award**

#### 2009

Ms. Mina Patel

#### 2010

Ms. Jagdeesh Kaur

#### 2011

Mr. Teh Sharifuddin Abdullah

#### 2012

Ms. Rosyatimah Maidin Datin Evelyn Ritikos Mr. Sariee Minan

#### 2013

Mr. Shanmuganathan a/I Suppiah Pn. Azrina binti Abdul Rahman

# <u>MELTA President Outstanding</u> <u>School ELT Award</u>

2012

S.M.K. Tunku Abdul Rahman, Kuching

2013

S.J.K. (T) Kangkar Pulai, Kulaijaya

2016

S.J.K. (T) Ladang Bute, Bandar Enstek

The Raja Zarith Sofiah Award for Corporate Social Responsibility in English Language Education

2013

**RHB** Banking Group

2014

Star Publications (M) Berhad

2015

No Winner

2016

NST Education Learning Curve

2017

Astro

2017

M Suites Hotel

MELTA Recognition Award

2013

Erican Education Group Pearson Malaysia Sdn. Bhd.

Melewar Learning Resources Sdn. Bhd.

MELTA MALACHI EDWIN
CREATIVE TEACHER
SHOWCASE AWARD WINNERS

2009

Gold : Jen Renita Mappah

(OUM)

Silver : Rani K. Mariappan

(SMK Batu Pahat Convent, Johor)

Bronze : Nor Fadleen Sa'don

(SMK Tasek Utara, Johor)

2010

Gold : Nor Fadleen Sa'don

(SMK Tasek Utara, Johor), Rubiah binti Mat Som (SMK Kuala Krau, Pahang)

Silver : Lim Seng Leong

(SMK Bukit Jambul, Penang),

Noorjahan binti Sultan

(SK Indera Mahkota Utama, Kuantan)

**Bronze**: Yap Yoke Chin

(SMK Hwa Lian, Temerloh)

2011

Gold : Mahiran Mohd Noor

(SMK Kompleks Gong Badak,

Kuala Terengganu)

Silver : Zakiah Bt. Jaafar

(MRSM Kota Bahru, Kelantan)
Bronze: Hyginus Lester Junior Lee

(SMK Mutiara)

2012

Gold : Maryati Bt Athan

(SK Muhammad Saman),

Sawaran Jit Kaur

(Kolej Datu Tuanku Haji Bujang, Miri)

Silver : Denny Phang Kong Khee

(SJK Chung Hua Tondng), Hyginus Lester Junior Lee

(SMK Mutiara)

**Bronze**: Belinda Ng Mei Lee

(SMK Taman Medan), Tan Shiew Hiong (SK Pujut Corner, Miri)

2013

Gold : Zaminah Azaman

(Kolej Datu Tuanku Haji Bujang, Miri) : Siti Shakilah Nirmala Bt Abdullah

Silver : Siti Shakilah Nirmala Bt Abd (SK Sri Tangkak, Johor)

Bronze : Arumugam a/l Gopal @ Rja

(SMK Taman Selesa Jaya, Skudai, Johor)



Gold : Tan Lee Nguang : Noorjahan bt Sultan

Bronze : No Winner

2015

Gold : No Winner Silver : Warid Mihat

> (SK Kubang Kerian 3, Kota Bahru, Kelantan)

**Bronze**: Chanthireka a/p Vasudevan

(SMK Seksyen 19, Shah Alam)

2016

Gold : Gold Tan Lee Nguang

(JPN Sarawak)

Silver : Noorjahan bt Sultan

((SK Indera Mahkota Utama, Pahang)

Bronze : No Winner

2017

Gold : Samuel Isaiah a/I Joel Christie

Isaiah

(SK Runchang, Pahang)
Silver : Asfar bin Abdul Hamid

Puteri Nurul Nazahiah Datu Bandira Debbie Clement

(School in Hospital, Sabah Women's and

Children's Hospital)

Bronze : Jen Renita binti Mappah

(SK Merotai Besar, Tawau, Sabah)

2018

**Gold**: Mohamad Faiz B. Mohamad Shakri

(Bukit Lalang National Primary School,

Semporna, Sabah)

Silver : Nazira Bt Roslee

(SMK Putrajaya Presint 9(1),

Putrajaya WP)

Bronze : Laurence L. Dumling

(Lok Yuk Kota Kinabalu (CF), Sabah)

2019

Gold : Mustabshirah Bt Md Salleh

(Sk Syed Sheh)

Silver : Sheela Faizurah Bt Nik Fauzi

SMK Petra Jaya

Bronze : Chok Sze Jin

(SMK Lake)

2021

Gold : Umairah Najihah bt Ismail

(Ho Theen Theen)

Silver : Mohamad Faiz b. Mohamad

Shakri

Bronze : Suzzanna bt Amir Mohammad

2022

Gold : Chong Wan Lynn

Silver : Roselind Gan

Wong Su Hui

Chin Yee Yuen @ Kelvin Chin

Bronze : Lian Junxiang

CREATIVE STUDENT TEACHER SHOWCASE AWARD WINNERS

2014

Gold : Agnes Lee Zhi Hui Silver : Er Pari Ting

Cak Nong A/L Aitin

Muhammad Zahin Safwan Bin Subri

Bronze : Kristie Jacqueline Lau Ing Chee

Caroline Tham Yie Ting

2015

Gold : Agnes Lee Zhi Hui

(IPG Batu Lintang)

Silver : Er Pei Ting,

Cak Nong A/L Aitin,

Muhammad Zahin Safwan bin Subri

(IPIK, K.L.)

**Bronze**: Kristie Jacqueline Lau Ing Chee

Caroline Tham Yie Ting

(Kent Teachers Training Institute, Sabah)

2016

Silver : Joyce Tan Shu Yuan

(Taylor's University Lakeside Campus,

Subang)



**Gold**: Wong Kian Yong, Teoh Kai Hern

(IPG Kampus Gaya, Kota Kinabalu)

Silver : Wardatul Ikhwani binti Mahali

(IPG Kampus Gaya, Kota Kinabalu)

Bronze : Malket Singh s/l Belwet Singh &

Lydia Beh Sheng Hui

(IPG Kampus Gaya, Kota Kinabalu)

#### 2018

Gold : Raveenajit Kaur, Saya Hussain,

Ashley Seow

(University Of Nottingham Malaysia

Campus, Malaysia)

Silver : Irdina Ismaida Zamri,

Gurshreen Kaur

(Taylor's University, Malaysia)

Bronze : Wardatul Ikhwani Binti Mahali

(Institute Of Teacher Education, Gaya

Campus, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah,

Malaysia)

### 2019

Gold : Nur Azizah Bt Jemat

(IPG Batu Lintang, Sarawak)

Silver : Megan Lo Uise

(University Of Nottingham Malaysia)

Bronze : Rozie Kasim

(IPG Batu Lintang, Sarawak)

## 2021

Gold : Divenes a/l Egambaran Silver : Celine Laeu Jie Qin

Bronze : Nurul Fatin Afifah bt Muhamad

#### 2022

Gold : Alia Aifa Binti Norharmi

Azlina Binti Abdul Aziz

Silver : Nurul Hadirah Binti Mohmad Azman

Nirmala Devi A/P Rajoo

Bronze : SQuinstilius Anyui Anak Stanley

Charmaine Anak Julin Grace Jeni Anak Willy Clarissa Claudia Ho

# CREATIVE HIGHER EDUCATION TEACHER SHOWCASE AWARD WINNERS

#### 2018

Gold : No winners
Silver : No winners
Bronze : Edna Wellington

Zaira Abu Hassan Shaari

Munira Mohsin

(IPG Kampus Ilmu Khas, Kuala Lumpur)

Angeline Ranjethamoney

Vijayarajoo Roslina Mohd Jani Sariff Imran Kuldip Kaur

(Universiti Teknologi Mara, Cawangan Negeri Sembilan, Kampus Seremban 3,

Malaysia

#### 2021

Gold : Tan Wee Chun Silver : Khong See Moi

Norainin Said

Bronze : Amreet Kaur Jageer Singh Raja Nor Safinas Raja Harun

2022

**Gold**: Gurmit Kaur A/P Labh Singh

M Kamala Palaniappa Manickam

Silver : Priscilla Shak

Wendy Hiew Bernadette Tobi

**Bronze**: Khong See Moi

Noraini Binti Said

# **MELTA SPECIAL PROJECT**

# MELTA WAY WITH WORDS COMPETITION WINNERS

#### 2008

#### **Penang**

Lower Secondary:

1st prize: S.M.K. (P) St. George 2nd prize: S.M.K.A. (P) Al-Mashoor 3rd prize: S.M.K. Convent Green Lane

Upper Secondary:

1st prize: S.M.K. (P) St. George 2nd prize: S.M.J.K. Phor Tay 3rd prize: S.M.K.A. (P) Al-Mashoor

#### Selangor

Lower Secondary:

1st prize: S.M.K. Assunta,PJ 2nd prize: S.M.K. Seri Sepang

3rd prize: S.M.K. Bandar Baru Salak Tinggi,

Sepang

Upper Secondary:

1st prize: S.M.K. Assunta, PJ 2nd prize: S.M. Sains Seremban 3rd prize: S.M.K. Seri Sepang

#### Sabah

Lower Secondary:

1st prize: S.M.K. St.Francis Convent (M), Kota

Kinabalu

2nd prize: S.M.K. St. Peter Telipok, Kota

Kinabalu

3rd prize: S.M.K. Kolombong, Inanam, Kota

Kinabalu.

Upper Secondary:

1st prize: S.M.K. Lok Yuk, Kota Kinabalu 2nd prize: S.M.K. St.Francis Convent (M),

Kota Kinabalu

3rd prize: S.M.K. St. Peter Telipok, Kota

Kinabalu

#### 2009

#### PWTC, Kuala Lumpur

**Upper Primary:** 

1st prize: S.K. St. Paul, Seremban, Negeri

Sembilan

2nd prize: S.K. Menjalara, Kuala Lumpur 3rd prize: S.K. Seafield, Subang Jaya Lower Secondary Category:

1st prize: S.M.K. Undang Jelebu, Negeri Sembilan

2nd prize: MRSM Terendak, Melaka

3rd prize: S.M. Agama Dato' Klana Petra Maamor,

Negeri Sembilan.

#### Johor Bahru

Upper Primary Category:

1st prize: S.K. Infant Jesus Convent Johor Bahru

2nd prize: S.K.Bandar Uda (2) 3rd prize: S.K.St. Joseph

Lower Secondary Category:

1st prize: S.M. Infant Jesus Convent

2nd prize: S.M.K. Dato Abdul Rahman Yassin

3rd prize: S.M.K. Convent Batu Pahat

#### 2010

#### PWTC, Kuala Lumpur

Upper Primary:

1st prize: S.K. Brickfields (1), Kuala Lumpur

2nd prize: S.K. Sultan Sulaiman 1, Kuala Terengganu

3rd prize: S.R.J.K. (C) San Yuk, Rawang

Lower Secondary:

1st prize: S.M.K. Bukit Mewah, Negeri Sembilan 2nd prize: S.M.K. Jalan Empat, Bandar Baru Bangi 3rd prize: S.M.K. Kota Kemuning, Shah Alam

#### **Pahang**

Upper Primary:

1st prize: S.J.K. (C) Pei Chai 2nd prize: S.K. Indera Mahkota 3rd prize: S.K. Indera Mahkota

Lower Secondary:

1st prize: S.M.K. Tengku Afzan 2nd prize: S.M.K. Abdul Rahman Talib

3rd prize: S.M.K. Alor Akar

#### Sarawak

Upper Primary:

1st prize: Lodge Primary School 2nd prize: Lodge Primary School 3rd prize: Lodge Primary School

Lower Secondary:

1st prize: S.M.K. Kuching High 2nd prize: S.M.K. Sungai Maong 3rd prize: S.M.K. Bandar Samariang





#### PWTC, Kuala Lumpur

Upper Primary:

1st Prize: S.J.K.(C) Nan Kai

2nd Prize: S.K. Jalan 3, Bandar Baru Bangi

3rd Prize: S.K. Brickfields

Lower Secondary:

1st Prize: S.M. Jalan 4, Bandar Baru Bangi 2nd Prize: S.M.K. Bandar Baru Salak Tinggi,

Team 2

3rd Prize: S.M.K. Seri Selayang National

Literacies Day, National Library,

#### **Kuala Lumpur**

Upper Primary:

1st Prize - S.J.K. (C) Lick Hung

2nd Prize - S.K. St. John (1) KL, Team A

3rd Prize - S.K. Sulaiman 1

#### Kuala Terengganu

Upper Primary:

1st Prize: S.K. Sultan Ismail, Chukai, Kemaman

2nd Prize: S.K. Rantau Petronas 3rd Prize: S.K. Batu 48, Dungun

Lower Secondary:

1st Prize: S.M.K. Padang Midin 2nd Prize: S.M.K. Dato' Razali Ismail

3rd Prize: S.M.K. Tengku Mizan Zainal Abidin

#### 2012

#### **Kuala Lumpur**

Upper Primary:

1st Prize - S.K. Brickfields

2nd Prize - S.K. Jalan 3

3rd Prize - S.K. Taman Megah

Lower Secondary :

1st Prize - S.M.K. Jalan 4

2nd Prize – S.M.K. USJ 4

3rd Prize – S.M.K. Bandar Baru Salak Tinggi

#### **Kuching**

Upper Primary:

1st Prize - S.J.K. (C) Chung Hua

2nd Prize - S.K. St. Mary

3rd Prize - S.J.K. (C) Chung Hua

Lower Secondary :

1st Prize – S.M.K. Lodge

2nd Prize - S.M.K. St. Mary's Secondary School

3rd Prize – S.M.K. Lodge

#### 2013

#### **Johor**

Upper Primary:

1st Prize - SK Sri Tebrau, Johor Bahru

2nd Prize - S.K. St. Mary

3rd Prize - S.J.K. (C) Chung Hua

Lower Secondary:

1st Prize – S.M.K. Seri Perling, Johor Bahru 2nd Prize – S.M.K. Kempas, Johor Bahru 3rd Prize – S.M.K. Sultan Ismail, Johor Bahru

#### 2014

#### Kuching, Sarawak

Upper Primary:

1st Prize - Lodge Primary School

2nd Prize - S.J.K. St. Paul

3rd Prize - Lodge Primary School

Lower Secondary:

1st Prize - S.M.K. St. Mary

2nd Prize – S.M.K. Batu Lintang

3rd Prize - Lodge International School

#### 2015

#### **Kuala Lumpur**

Upper Primary:

1st Prize: S.K. Jalan 3, Bandar Baru Bangi 2nd Prize: S.K. Jalan 3, Bandar Baru Bangi 3rd Prize: S.K. Jalan 3, Bandar Baru Bangi

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Lower Secondary :

1st Prize: SMK Victoria 2nd Prize: SMK Raja Mahadi

3rd Prize: SMK Raja Mahadi

#### 2016

#### lpoh, Perak

Upper Primary:

1st Prize – Ipoh International School Sdn.Bhd., Ipoh 2nd Prize – Ipoh International School Sdn.Bhd., Ipoh 3rd Prize – S.K. Syeikh Mohd Idris AlMarbawi, Kuala Kangsar

Lower Secondary:

1st Prize - S.M.K. Convent, Teluk Intan

2nd Prize - Ipoh International School Sdn.Bhd., Ipoh

3rd Prize – S.M.K. Perempuan Methodist, Ipoh

#### 2017

#### Kota Kinabalu, Sabah

Upper Primary:

1st Prize - S.J.K. (C) Chung Hwa, Kota Kinabalu

2nd Prize – S.J.K. (C) St. James

3rd Prize - S.J.K. (C) St. James



Lower Secondary:

1st Prize – S.M.Lok Yuk, Likas

2nd Prize – Sabah Tshung Tsin Secondary School

3rd Prize – Sabah Tshung Tsin Secondary School

#### 2018

#### Johor Bahru, Johor

Upper Primary:

1st Prize - SK Bandar Putra, Johor

2nd Prize - SK Taman Melawati, KL

3rd Prize – SK Taman Nusa Perintis, Johor

Lower Secondary:

1st Prize - SMK Impian Emas, Johor

2nd Prize - Sri Bintang Secondary School, Johor

3rd Prize - SMK Infant Jesus Convent, Johor

#### MELT-A-HEART BENEFICIARIES

#### 2009

#### **Johor**

S.K. Pusat Air Tawar, Mersing

S.J.K. (C) Sawit, Kelapa Sawit, Kulai

S.J.K. (T) Jalan Stesen Paloh, Kluang

#### 2010

#### **Pahang**

S.K. Cherating, Kuantan

S.J.K. (C) Panching, Kuantan

S.J.K. (T) Ladang Edensor, Mentakab

#### Sarawak

S.K. Gita No.2, Kuching

S.K. Bario

S.M. Bario

S.K. Long Lamei

#### Sabah

S.K. Pulau Larapan

### 2011

SK. Teluk Kalong, Kemaman, Terengganu

S.K. Kompleks Seberang Takir, K.Terengganu

S.K. (C) Sin Chone, Dungun, Terengganu

#### 2012

SK (1) Taman Selayang, KL

SJK (T) Kuang, Rawang, Selangor

SJK (C) Chap Khuan, Batu Arang, Selangor

SJK (T) Tun Sambanthan, Pajam, N. Sembilan

SJK (C) Pui Ying, Klang, Selangor

SK Muhibbah, Kuching, Sarawak

SK Pesang Begu, Padawan, Sarawak

SK Kampung Baru, Samarahan, Sarawak

SK St Teresa, Kuching, Sarawak

#### 2013

SJKT Gelang Patah, Johor Bahru, Johor SJKC Chien Bee, Kluang, Johor SK Kota Masai, Pasir Gudang, Johor

#### 2014

SK Ba Kelalan, Lawas, Sarawak

SK Serasot, Bau, Sarawak

SK Jagoi, Bau, Sarawak

SK Dato Mohd Musa, Samarahan, Sarawak

SK St Bernard, Padawan, Sarawak

#### 2015

SK Kampung Karangan, Kuala Krai, Kelantan SJKT Ladang Bute, Sepang, Selangor SJKC Khee Chee, Temerloh, Pahang

#### 2016

SK RPS Dala, Gerik, Perak.

SRJK(C) Yeong Hwa, Lenggong, Perak.

SK Sungai Lesong, Kampar, Perak.

SJK(T) Slim River, Perak.

SJK(C) Pheng Lok, Air Kuning, Perak.

#### 2017

SK Keguraan, Kota Belud, Sabah.

SJK(C) Hwa Lian, Kudat, Sabah.

SK Petagas, Tanjung Aru, Sabah.

#### 2018

SK Tg Adang, Johor Bahru, Johor

SJKC Kuo Kuang 2, Johor Bahru, Johor

SJKT Ldg Tebrau, P.Gudang, Johor

SK Kampung Bulau, Sarawak

SK Sacred Heart, Sibu, Sarawak

S Pedalaman Sarawak

SK Punan BA, Belaga Sarawak

#### 2022

#### **Pahang**

Primary:

SK Tuanku Fatimah

SK Bukit Piatu

SJKC Khai Mun Repas

SJKC Khai Mun Chamang

SJKC Sungai Dua

SJKT Karak

SJKT Sri Telemong

SK Bukit Rok

SK Kampung Pagi

SK Tanah Rom

SK Gintong

SK Bukit Dinding

SJKC Taman Tas

SK Panching

SK Kuala Telang

SK Wan Ibrahim

SK Paya Ara

SK Paya Pasir

SK Chenor

SK Kinchir SK Pelak

SK Paloh Hinai

SK Pulau Manis

SK Padang Rumbia

SK Temai

SK Kg Acheh

SK Tanjung Putus

SK Ulu Dong

SK Chenua

SK Kuala Krau

SK Guai

SK Guai

SK Batu Kapor

SK Bangau

SK Paya Taram SRA At Taqwa



Preschool (KEMAS):

Tabika Kemas Kg. Gajah Mati

Tabika Kemas Kg. Gantok

Tabika Kemas Peka, Kuantan

Taska Kemas Peka, Kuantan

Tabika Kemas Kampung Sungai Isap

Tabika Kemas Kg. Mengkarak

Tabika Kemas Kuala Triang

Tabika Kemas Bandar Lanchang

Tabika Kemas Kg. Chatin

Tabika Kemas Kg. Paya Bungor

Tabika Kemas (Jakoa) Prs Bukit Serok

Tabika Kemas Kg. Megat Segama

Tabika Kemas Paya Pulai Tengah

Tabika Kemas Rumah Pangsa Bandar Baru

Tabika Kemas Kg. Tebal

Tabika Kemas Kg. Paya Kechik

Tabika Kemas Kg. Raja Songsang

Tabika Kemas Kg. Belukar

Tabika Kemas Kg. Kurnia

Tabika Kemas Taman Guru

Tabika Kemas Bandar Triang

Tabika Kemas Kg. Kuala Kaung

Tabika Kemas Kg. Paya Siput

Tabika Kemas Kg. Teluk Ira

Tabika Kemas Kg. Batu Satu

Tabika Kemas Kemas Taman Sri Semantan

Tabika Kemas Paya Pulai

Tabika Kemas Kg. Pengkalan Jaya

Tabika Kemas Kg. Tengah

Tabika Kemas Kg. Tg. Belengu

Tabika Kemas Kg. Rabit

Tabika Kemas Klinik Kuala Krau

Tabika Kemas Lipat Kajang

Tabika Kemas Paya Taram

Tabika Kemas Kuala Krau

Tabika Kemas Kg. Bukit Resak

Tabika Kemas Kg. Cempaka

Tabika Kemas Kg. Pahang

Tabika Kemas Cerok Paloh

Tabika Kemas Sri Teruntum

Tabika Kemas Balok Pantai

Tabika Kemas Kuala Kenau

Tabika Kemas Sg. Miang B

Tabika Kemas Jakoa Kg. Mencupu

Tabika Kemas Kg. Sri Damai

Tabika Kemas Kg Padang Rumbia

Tabika Kemas Pakr Padang Luas

Tabika Kg. Ulu Luit, Maran

Tabika Kg. Paya Pasir, Maran

Tabika Kg. Machang Gelap

Tabika Kemas Kg. Pesagi

Tabika Kemas Kg. Serengkam

Tabika Kemas Kg Razali

Tabika Kemas Kempadang

Tabika Kemas Chengal Lempong

Tabika Kemas Kg. Panching

Tabika Kemas Taman Putera Puteri

Tabika Kemas Kg. Sri Fajar

Tabika Kemas Kg. Pulau Manis, Gambang

Tabika Kemas Kg. Pelak

Tabika Kemas Sg. Deraka

Tabika Kemas Kg. Baru Pandan 2

Tabika Kemas Rtk Sri Damai

Tabika Kemas Kg Temai Tengah

#### Negeri Sembilan

SJKT Gemas, SK Kg Daching SJKT Ladang Lenggeng

# THE GANAKUMARAN SUBRAMANIAM PROJECT-BASED LEARNING AWARD

# **Primary**

#### 2019

1st Prize: SJKC Chung Hwa Kuala Lumpur

2nd Prize: No winner

3rd Prize: SK Merotai Besar, Tawau, Sabah

#### 2021

1st Prize: SJKC Lih Jen, Kampung Pokok Mangga, Melaka 2nd Prize: SJKT Ladang Highlands, Klang, Selangor 3rd Prize: Sri Kuala Lumpur International School

#### 2022

1st Prize: SK Minden Height, Pulau Pinang

2nd Prize: Sri Kuala Lumpur International School, Selangor

3rd Prize: SK Pelabuhan Kelang, Selangor

# Secondary

#### 2019

1st Prize: La Salle Secondary School, Kota Kinabalu

2nd Prize: SMK Dato' Permaisuri Miri

3rd Prize: Brainy Bunch International School

#### 2021

1st Prize: SMK Bandar Putra, Kulai, Johor

2nd Prize: Diponegoro Islamic Senior High School, Indonesia

3rd Prize: Pin Hua High School, Klang, Selangor

#### 2022

1st Prize: SMK Merbau, Sarawak

2nd Prize: Sekolah Sri UCSI SubangJaya, Selangor

3rd Prize: SMK (P) Sri Aman, Selangor



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